



Large Ship Snaps Mooring Lines In Heavy Gale

Crewmen finally secured Ss. Serampore at Ogden Point docks this morning after large freighter snapped three mooring lines. Combination of high tide and wind threw waves over pier into sheds. Port anchor helped hold ship. (Times photo.)

80-Mile Gale Cuts Off Hospital Power Supply

A gale that reached 80 miles per hour in gusts, lashed the city early today disrupting electrical service and sending small craft scurrying for shelter.

St. Joseph's Hospital and the Parliament Buildings had no power from 8:10 to 9:45. It was one of the longest power shortages ever recorded at the hospital.

It was caused when a metal cornice on First Baptist Church, Quadra and Mason, fell across a 4,000-volt line.

No lights or other power equipment were available for the hospital, but officials reported that

although some delay was caused, there was no emergency during the period. Emergency lighting units were not required.

The wind started at 2:30 in the morning, and by 3:30 was blowing a brisk 42 miles per hour with gusts up to 60.

It blew a steady 66 miles per hour with gusts hitting a screaming 80.

Driving rain accompanying the storm flooded low-lying areas, and garages, basements and gutters were flooded as overworked drains struggled with the deluge.

B.C. Telephone Co. reported two breaks in the Jordan River line with other minor damage. Except for the one large power failure only minor damage was reported by the B.C. Electric.

A high tide, driven by the strong southwesterly winds, churned into Victoria harbor and "made it tough" for waterfront workers.

Ss. Serampore, berthed on the north side of the south pier, Ogden Point, broke three spring lines in succession between midnight and 10 this morning. The wind drove a heavy chop between ship and dock, in which the fender logs were rising and falling as much as 10 feet.

A fourth spring this time a six-inch rope hawser was bent on at 10 a.m., and the ship's port anchor was dropped to ease the strain on mooring lines and to keep her from surging at the docks.

LOADING DELAYED

Serampore was due to top off with 275,000 feet of lumber for Hong Kong today, but loading operations await moderating weather.

Meanwhile, her sister ship, Tranquebar, inbound for Vancouver, hove to in Juan de Fuca Strait. A pilot boat went out to pick her up early this morning, but returned at 9 when the ship wirelessly that she was waiting for better weather.

Tug boats and tugs are "holed up" all along the west coast of Vancouver Island, waiting out the blow.

LIMPS ALONGSIDE

C.P.S. Princess Elaine, one propeller bent in an accident between Powell River and Vancouver last week, limped into Esquimalt Harbor on one engine this morning. She was due for drydock and repairs, but it required expert seamanship to get her alongside the jetty, where she will wait for quieter weather.

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DEFYING SCHOOL PATROL RESULTS IN FINE OF \$10

Authority of schoolboy patrols to control traffic at school crossings was backed up in police court today when a \$10 fine was assessed in the first charge of its kind ever laid here.

W. H. Graham, 1186 Camrose, was fined \$10 on evidence that he failed to heed the warning of two North Ward School patrol members at Quadra and Kings. Both youngsters, 11-year-old Grade 6 students, gave evidence in court.

Bard Of Bastion Street Steps Up To Bat For A's

By BILL WALKER
Times Sports Editor

The honor and fame that is Bruce Humber's, chosen last week as coach of Canada's Olympic track and field team, takes a back seat this week to the feats of another of the Humber clan—Maurice by name.

Maurice, "The Basement Bard of Bastion Street," has agreed to lend his talents to the renewed drive for funds to "save baseball" in the city, a week's reprieve having been granted the Athletics by Western International League directors Saturday.

The occasion will be the second monster radio jamboree over radio station CKDA to take place Thursday night from 8:30-1:30.

Maurice is in the process of composing a special sonnet for the show and will likely place a stiff price on his labors in aid of the drive.

However, he will receive competition in his particular field. Rev. William "Bill" Hills has

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Nomination for today's headline "New Attitude Record Set."

Sure like the feel o' the wind and rain in m'hair—if I had some.

It'll be interestin' to see how these amateur forecasters breeze through their job this week.

MURDER TRIAL EVIDENCE OF 'HANG-OVER'

Accused Said 'Tight Morning' Of Slaying

Evidence that a man charged with murder had been on a beer-drinking spree the morning he is alleged to have committed the crime, was revealed as his preliminary hearing resumed today.

Alexander Williams, 25, of Gould, Newfoundland, is charged with murdering Chinese mess boy Dong Chew Yin, 20, while the C.P.R. ship Princess Joan was en route from Vancouver to Victoria on the morning of Jan. 15.

Dong's body has not been recovered.

BEER STOLEN

Roy E. Weber, 17, engineer wiper on the ship, testified he and Williams had stolen two cases of beer from the ship's storeroom and secured another from a beer parlor and along with others had consumed some of it in a top-deck stateroom rented by the accused.

Weber said he went to sleep on the lower bunk when Williams left the cabin around 2:30 a.m., but left when Williams awakened him. Witness said Williams then appeared to be "pretty tight."

Defence counsel L. G. McKenzie has argued against statements being allowed in as evidence in view of accused's "hang-over" condition among other objections.

Magistrate A. I. Thomas ruled a statement written by Constable J. Shepherd to "clarify certain points" in accused's alleged original statement, not admissible.

In a statement alleged to have been written by the accused, Williams is quoted as saying he threw the Chinese overboard following a quarrel in a stateroom. This was admitted as evidence.

Peace Terms Move Close To An Armistice

PANMUNJOM, Korea, Feb. 4 (UP)—Allied and Communist truce negotiators have "moved close to an armistice" with the foreseeable future in the last few days, the chief United Nations command spokesman said tonight.

The chief U.N. truce negotiator on war prisoners said meanwhile that Monday's meeting on that issue was "one of the pleasantest we ever had."

In Monday's talks the truce delegates reached final agreement on an exchange of war prisoners. They also arranged a plenary session of the full truce delegations for 10 a.m. Wednesday to start discussion of the final item on the armistice program—recommendations to be made to the belligerent governments for a final peace settlement.

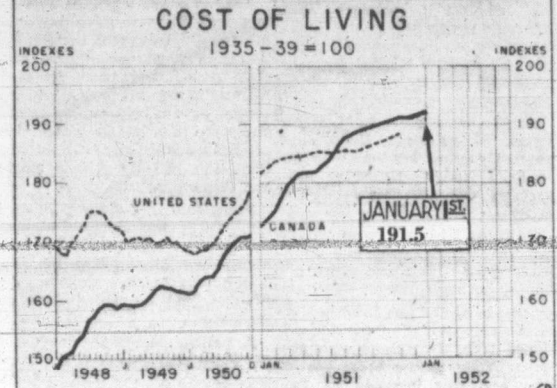
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Living Costs Jump Again

Canada's cost of living, shown graphically here in comparison with the U.S. Consumer's Price Index, jumped two-fifths of a point in December to bring the Bureau of Statistics index to 191.5 at Jan. 1. The increase follows a decline in November of one-tenth of a point, the first decline in 23 months. The two indexes measure percentage changes in price in Canada and the U.S. but should not be used to compare the actual level of prices between the two countries. (CP graph.)

SIX PERISH IN B.C. TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

Father, Mother, Two Children Die When Auto Hit By Freight Train Is Dragged 300 Yards

(Compiled From C.P. Dispatches.)

CHILLIWACK, B.C., Feb. 4—A father and mother and their two children—all new-Canadian Dutch—were killed instantly Sunday when their automobile was rammed at a crossing by an Edmonton-to-Vancouver livestock train. Three other children, although seriously hurt, survived the tragedy.

The dead are: Walter Dezwarts, 51, his wife and two sons, Leonard, 7, and Hans, 5. The crash occurred at "Big Ditch Road," near the outskirts of Chilliwack, 65 miles east of Vancouver.

A woman died in a similar railway-crossing accident and a Vancouver man was killed when the car in which he was riding skidded from a rain-soaked highway, bringing the Sunday death toll in the Fraser Valley area to six.

Of the Dezwarts' children who survived the crash which saw their car dragged 300 yards

down the tracks by the train, two-year-old Cora Dezwarts was fighting for her life today in hospital, while the older sister and a brother were reported in less serious condition.

EMERGENCY OPERATION

In hospital at Vancouver, where she was transferred because of her critical condition, the little girl underwent an emergency operation late Sunday night.

Anja Dezwarts, 13, and Peter, 10, are in hospital at Chilliwack where the family settled recently after coming to Canada from Holland about a year ago.

Eyewitnesses said the train's headlight was on at the time of the collision, but the driver of the car either failed to see the approaching train or misjudged his timing.

The train, which was traveling about 35 miles an hour when the accident occurred, later proceeded to Vancouver.

Mrs. Stacey Peters of Agassiz, B.C., was killed when the car in which she was a passenger collided at a crossing with a Canadian Pacific Railway light engine at Nicomen, 53 miles east of Vancouver.

R.C.M.P. said the accident occurred during a heavy mist. Her two companions—Oliver Gabriel, 40, and Walter Charley, 42, both of Agassiz—were said to be in fairly good condition in hospital at Mission, B.C.



WILLIAM MACKIE

Decreasing winds, cloudy with sunny periods, a few showers today and Tuesday. Temperatures 40-48 degrees.

Food, Fuel Increases Offset Other Declines

OTTAWA, Feb. 4 (CP)—The cost-of-living index climbed two-fifths of a point from 191.1 during December to a new high of 191.5 on Jan. 1, the Bureau of Statistics reported today.

The index had declined from its previous peak of 191.2 on Nov. 1, with a one-tenth of a point drop—the first in 23 months. The index is based on 1935-39 prices equaling 100.

Slightly higher prices for meats, vegetables, dairy products, coal, home furnishings and health costs pushed the index up again.

These increases overbalanced slight price declines for eggs, fats and women's wear.

The food sub-index—most important segment of the entire index—climbed seven-tenths of a point to 250.0 from 249.3—1.4 points below the peak of 251.4 established last Aug. 1.

With coal prices higher in a number of cities, the fuel and light sub-group increased two-fifths of a point to a record 151.2 from 150.8.

Small scattered increases in the home furnishings and services column boosted this group one-half point to a peak 201.1 from 200.6.

Three Perish

CARMAN, Man., Feb. 4 (CP).—Three persons were killed just before noon today when their R.C.A.F. Beechcraft plane, feeling its way through a thick fog, struck a guy wire on a radio broadcasting tower and crashed in flames.

At Winnipeg, the R.C.A.F. reported the victims were a staff pilot and two students from No. 2 air navigation school at Winnipeg. They took off on a routine training flight at 11:28 a.m.

Their names were withheld until next-of-kin were notified.

One-Time 'New Dealer' Harold L. Ickes Dies

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP).—Harold L. Ickes, one of the most colorful figures of the Roosevelt new deal, died Sunday night.

Ickes, 77, died in emergency hospital, where he had been under treatment for complications of a former arthritic condition.

Ickes was secretary of the interior in 1932-46 and head man of the public works administration of the turbulent depression years.

A sharp-tongued phrasemaker, Ickes called himself "The Old Curmudgeon" and in his time was just as rough on others.

Ickes previously had been under hospital treatment but returned to his home at nearby Olney, Md., Jan. 18, apparently much improved. He took a turn for the worse 10 days later and went back to the hospital.

Few men of his day could look back on such a vigorous—and often stormy—career. His running feud with the late Harry Hopkins, President Roosevelt's close friend and head of the works

progress administration, made "new deal" history.

Ickes' public life was controversial to the end. He resigned from President Truman's cabinet in 1946, saying he could no longer stay in the cabinet and "retain my self-respect."

LRB Meeting On Stereos Set

At the request of the Labor Relations Board, officials of Victoria Press Ltd. will meet Tuesday with 13 stereotypes on its staff who voted to strike Saturday morning.

The stereotypes, who unanimously rejected a company offer of 32 cents an hour increase, to base salaries of \$82.50 a week, will be represented by union officials from Seattle and Vancouver.

Tuesday's meeting, to be held at L.R.B. offices here, will attempt to reconcile the disputants.



GEORGE I. WARREN

Continued rain, high wind to subside toward evening, light winds overnight. Temperatures moderate.

Light showers, high winds around the City Hall.

Rain showers, occasional sunny periods today and Tuesday. Mild temperatures, winds 20 m.p.h.

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ON THE TIMES

By ART STOTT

"There are days," said my friend, "when I feel like Babe Ruth the time he pointed to the centrefield flagpole and belted a home run over it. I wake up in the morning and start singing. The birds take up my song and they do a pretty good job of it, too. The water's hot for my shower and my toast shows up golden brown and rich with butter."



"When I go downtown people shout hello to me as if I were important, and I'm inclined to agree with them. Decisions come to me with inspired quickness. I cut through my work like the bow of a speedboat through calm water. The sharp phrase springs ready from my lips. The stories I tell have the tang of good wine and draw a bushful of laughs."

"Yes, there are days when I'm riding high. And then—then there are days when I'm just quivering. I wake up frightened. I slip quietly from bed. Outside, the dog-gone birds are kicking up a terrific racket. It'd be nerve-scattering if I had a whole nerve to shatter. I go in for my shower and the water's cool to cold. The toast is burned and hard to swallow."

"When I go downtown, my friends pretend not to see me. They ignore my greeting. I know they've recognized me in the distance, have said to themselves, 'The old boy's slipping. Can't afford to associate too much with him. Failure can be contagious.'"

Wells Of Guilt
"Up in the office I reach for a cigarette and forget to light it. I keep pushing things around on the desk, afraid to start them. When I do try anything, it doesn't come out right. The phone rings and lifts me clear out of my seat. I wonder what I've done and who's caught me at it."

"That guilty feeling keeps climbing up on me. I feel just like I felt as a kid when the cop came to school the morning after our gang had raided an apple orchard. Then I start worrying over which of my sins have been exposed. I want to cry out for sympathy, but I can't do it in that crowd of office people who used to pretend to be my friends. They know I'm a hypocrite. They know I've been traveling behind a false front."

"I find myself cringing down in my chair. My stomach has that all-gone feeling. Then, when footsteps approach my office, my insides start jumping."

"If anybody comes in I talk in a falsetto and I keep giggling, waiting for the visitor to lower the boom. The office boy walks past. Usually he has a grin as he looks in. But I can see him sneering and it doesn't take much to imagine what he says when he gets out of sight."

"The crowd in the main office is talking when I come into the room, but it breaks up and drifts apart as I approach. Why doesn't somebody tell me what they've found out about me? How can I build up a defense or think up an alibi if I don't know what they've got on me?"

I Want To Be Alone
"I keep wanting to go home. Down in the basement, back of the coal bin, there's a dark little corner. In it are a couple of old soap boxes for seats and a few sacks for cushions. If I could just get there, and if the furnace were on, it'd be warm and comfortable. Nobody could find me. Me and Greta Garbo, we want to be alone, but separately."

"I tell you, I have my bad days. Boy, what bad days! I try to be discreet. But things build up on me. I keep asking myself what I said that I shouldn't have said, what I did that I shouldn't have done, who heard me and who saw me."

"Sure wish I was like you and the other guys who just keep going along evenly, no emotional peaks, no emotional abysses. I'd give you all my Babe Ruth home-run hitting days, if you'd take the frightened ones with them."

"I guess nobody else feels quite like I do. Don't tell anybody about it, will ya? They wouldn't understand."

DOCTOR EVEN WORE FALSIES
Wore Women's Clothes To Buy Sleeping Drugs

DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 4 (UP)—Authorities were stumped today over the case of a 41-year-old surgeon who allegedly wrote barbiturate prescriptions to a fictional woman, then donned women's clothes—complete with wig and falsies—to have them filled.

Police Captain George Lumpkin said it was entirely possible that the doctor had not violated any law in his strange masquerade. But Lumpkin said he would confer with Assistant U.S. Attorney Lester May.

Dallas police arrested the physician, but they refused to make his name public.

He dressed in a wig, makeup, feminine clothes, and falsies in his role as his "other self."

He carried off the part so well, police said, that a woman who once attended school with him but had not seen the doctor for 30 years, took him on a shopping tour and never guessed his real identity.

It was during the shopping tour that police arrested the doctor on a tip that the woman was in reality a man.

ADMITTS ACT
At police headquarters, the doctor admitted that he was and was booked on an open charge. He later was released on a habeas corpus writ.

The doctor's woman shopping companion was released immediately when she told police she never realized that the woman was in reality a man.

"The doctor didn't give us any reason for dressing up like a woman," Lumpkin said. "He just said that he liked to do it now and then."

Lumpkin said he thought any doctor could get barbiturates at will and he didn't know why the surgeon felt he had to masquerade to have the prescriptions filled.

Officers did not disclose whether the doctor used the drugs himself, or what use they were put to.

WANTED NAZI SAID IN HIDING AS MONK

German Leader Eberhard Stern Claims Photo Of Friar That Of Much-Sought Martin Bormann

ROME, Feb. 4 (AP)—A Franciscan friar who says he's never been outside Rome province in his 76 years today identified as his own the photograph which a former Berlin Nazi said showed a missing Hitler henchman, Martin Bormann, hiding in a monk's garb.

Two More Men Hope To Serve In B.C. House

Two more persons have come forward to offer themselves as candidates in the next provincial election.

W. A. Scott, 1203 Blanshard, announced over the weekend that he would seek a seat in the Legislature as an independent when the next election is held. He said he would decide later in which constituency he would run.

At the same time, A. K. Hemstreet, East Saanich Road, said he would allow his name to go forward as a possible Progressive Conservative candidate in Saanich.

Scott said his platform would call for cheaper power and lighter liquor laws and more attention to agriculture.

Scott is 54 and has lived in Victoria since the end of the Second World War. He served with the Royal Navy in the First World War and was interned by the Japanese during the second.

Hemstreet said he had been asked to seek the Saanich P.C. nomination by a number of party supporters. Previously announced as a likely P.C. choice in that municipality is C. J. Holmes, a Victoria real estate man.

Liberal Quits Old Party To Join Socreds

Another prominent Liberal has shed the party cloak in favor of the Social Credit movement.

E. P. "Ted" Cummins, well-known contractor and Saanich council member, has resigned as president of Ward Four Liberal Association and first vice-president of the Nanaimo Federal Riding Liberal Association.

In announcing himself as a Social Credit convert, Cummins said he had lost faith in the provincial government.

He cited the Buttle Lake issue as an example of the government attempting to mislead the people. He said the government announced last spring that Buttle Lake would be dammed and that the present appeal against the damming was just a formality "to lead the people on."

Cummins said he had studied the B.C. Social Credit League program and was quite prepared to recommend it to others.

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MARTIN BORMANN

Quiet Service For City-Born Octogenarian

Private funeral services were held at 1.30 today for Mrs. Emma Jones, widow of the late A. W. Jones, who died Thursday at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Born in Victoria 80 years ago, she was the daughter of Joseph Loewen, brewery operator, who lived on Gorge Road, and granddaughter of Frank Laumeter, who imported 22 camels from Nevada as pack animals on the Cariboo Trail.

Mrs. Jones attended Angela College here and Dupont School in Toronto. She was married in 1889, and in recent years lived on Rockland Ave., near Linden.

Surviving are three sisters, Mrs. Dolly Rogers, England; Mrs. Hermann M. Robertson and Mrs. C. J. Prior, Victoria.

Hayward's conducted the funeral, which was followed by cremation.

5 Die, 14 Hurt As Fire Guts Omaha Block

OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 4 (UP)—Five persons died and at least 14 others were injured, one critically, when fire destroyed a crowded apartment building.

Police identified the dead as Tom Brooks, a coal yard worker, about 30; his brother, also in his 30's, name unknown; Leonard P. Davidson, about 70, a retired railroad worker; John Lesnovich, another retired railroad worker, and Rosalie Jensen 35.

Twelve of the injured were hospitalized. Louis Albright, 60, was in critical condition.

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26 Seamen Leap Ashore Off Storm-Beached Ship

MOREHEAD CITY, N.C., Feb. 4 (AP)—The 26 crew members of the Panamanian freighter Miget leaped safely ashore before dawn today as hurricane-whipped winds broke their 2,600-ton ship in two.

A coast guard rocket, fired by a beach party searching the shoreline of Portsmouth Island, drew an answering blinker light from the stranded freighter about 2 a.m. That exchange of messages above the Atlantic's roar was sufficient to give the Miget's crew their bearings. All came over the small freighter's side and walked in.

The captain and his 25 men, worn by the all-night battle, were taken to an abandoned coast guard station on the barren island. All were soaked and sleepy.

Water reached the freighter's fuel supplies Sunday. Soon all power failed. The Miget wallowed helplessly in one of the worst winter southeasters in years along this coast.

In the night the Miget and a coast guard FBY plane exchanged flare signals. But coast guard boats attempting to reach the freighter were turned back by heavy seas.

The diesel-propelled Miget went ashore 20 miles southwest of Cape Hatteras. The coast guard this morning dispatched boats to Portsmouth Island to transfer the crew across Ocracoke Inlet to Ocracoke Island.

Drunkometer Test Tuesday
Victorians are invited Tuesday night to witness one of the most unusual public demonstrations ever held here.

It's a drunkometer test—sponsored by the traffic safety committee of the Junior Chamber of Commerce and conducted by two members of the Seattle police department.

"The Junior Chamber is presenting this demonstration as a public service to prove the practicability of the use of a drunkometer," said Ivan Burch, committee chairman.

Taking part in the demonstration will be Dr. E. L. McNiven and two officials of the B.C. Motor Vehicles Branch.

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FAULTY LIGHTING

BOMBAY (Reuters).—Improper installation of fluorescent lighting is responsible for many eye ailments, said Dr. V. K. Chitnis, Indian eye specialist. Such lights are replacing other forms of electric lighting here.

ANCIENT WONDER

The great Sphinx of Egypt has a length of 189 feet, near the group of pyramids.

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HERE, THERE AND EVERYWHERE

By PHILIP LEE
Condensed from CP, AP, and UP Dispatches

CHALLENGE—In Washington Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy challenged President Truman today to show where he misquoted a "single word" of what he said were F.B.I. reports about Presidential Assistant Philo Nash.

In a recent speech, McCarthy said he read the Senate what Truman purported to be F.B.I. reports accusing Nash of having had Communist connections. Nash denounced the charge as a "contemptible lie."

At his press conference last week, Mr. Truman denounced McCarthy as a pathological character assassin.

FARMERS—In Mexico, the flying farmers of America start their third annual visit to Mexico today with an estimated 500 persons aboard 300 planes. Jose F. Muguerza, president of the state tourist commission at Monterey, Mexico, said this year's flying farmers will come from all over the United States. The first two years, most of the flying farmers visiting Mexico came from Kansas.

ANNOUNCEMENT—In Tokyo the announcement from Gen. Matthew Ridgway's headquarters said, "the 40th U.S. Infantry Division has been assigned to the Eighth Army and is now in Korea."

The announcement Sunday was the first official admission that California National Guard Division is fighting in Korea.

However, during the past several weeks, many letters from soldiers of the division, telling of their presence in Korea, were published in newspapers throughout Southern California and quoted on radio broadcasts.

With the announcement came word that the division—including more than 6,000 former National Guardsmen from Southern California—had suffered its first casualties.

WITNESS—In Sevierville, Tenn., a 38-year-old sometimes sharecropper and day laborer denied today he flailed his six-year-old son to death with a rocking chair arm and a broom handle while "crazy drunk."

"Honest to gosh I didn't—I never beat my children," said Thomas Ball. Sheriff Roy Whaley ordered Ball jailed on a murder charge. He said a preliminary hearing would probably be held Friday. Ball's four-year-old daughter, Ruby Fay, was the lone witness to the killing, the sheriff said. Whaley asked the little girl, "Has Daddy been fighting with brother?"

"Yes," she answered.

"What did Daddy use," asked the sheriff.

"A broomstick," she replied.

LAST BIG NAZI TRIAL

Fate Of World Depended On Anti-Jew Fanaticism

NUERNBERG, Germany, Feb. 4 (AP)—A former German official told a war crimes court today Nazi Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop turned down a peace offer from Stalin in 1942 when he heard he would have to deal with a Jew.

Franz Rademacher—one of the last Germans to stand trial as a major war criminal—said Stalin had inquired through his Swedish embassy whether Von Ribbentrop would discuss peace terms through a Russian diplomat named Alexandrov.

Von Ribbentrop then asked Rademacher, in charge of the Foreign Ministry's Jewish Affairs Department, whether Alexandrov was a Jew.

Rademacher said when he told Von Ribbentrop Alexandrov was Jewish the foreign minister decided to ignore the offer.

Rademacher is charged with complicity in the murder of 1,500 Jews in Nazi-occupied Yugoslavia in October, 1941, and with deporting 100,000 Jews into eastern concentration camps.

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NEW EGYPTIAN PREMIER SEEKS UNIFIED FRONT

Aims For Better World Relations

CAIRO, Feb. 4 (CP)—Premier Aly Maher Pasha declared today he is trying to create a "healthy atmosphere" in order to reach a better understanding with the powers of the free world.

He added that Egypt will give consideration to joining the Middle East defense command proposed by Britain, Turkey, France and the United States.

In an exclusive interview, the premier, who took over after the Cairo riots of Jan. 26, said: "It is my wish that a healthy atmosphere for a better understanding prevail between Egypt and all the powers of the free world." The Middle East command and the inter-Arab security pact will be matters for discussions with the Egyptian national front. Both these questions will naturally be in the framework of the charter of the U.N.

The national front is a line of all Egyptian political parties but one. Maher Pasha is trying to bring them together in support of his independent government.

CONDITIONS—Three conditions for Egyptian participation in the pro-Western Middle East defense command were reported by the newspaper Al Misri. They are: The bloc should be organized on a defensive basis, should conform with the U.N. charter, and should "respect" Egypt's claim for British evacuation of the Suez Canal zone and sovereignty over the Sudan.

Egypt's willingness to consider the defense pact is a reversal of last October's stand when the government rejected the pact and cancelled her alliance with Britain, a move which set off the chain of violence climaxed by the Cairo rioting in which 67 persons died.

In London, the Sunday Chronicle reported that King Farouk would be commander-in-chief of the command under one proposal being considered by Britain.

Maher Pasha said the foremost economic policy of his government is to lower the cost of living, which he regards as a major cause of Egyptian discontent.

Maher Pasha declared responsibility for the anti-British riots would be pinned on the guilty and some will be court-martialed.

"I will not hesitate to declare to the public where the responsibility for Saturday's tragic rioting lies. Once investigations now being conducted are completed," he said, "certain categories of cases will be referred to military courts and I can assure the public that no leniency will be shown toward persons whose guilt can be proved."

Col. Kamal Riad of the interior ministry's special police said today 600 persons arrested in the fire riots are still being held.

It was learned meanwhile that the extreme Nationalist Moslem Brotherhood is the party not asked to join Maher's national front.

Pole Vaulting Parson Honored

BOSTON, Feb. 5 (UP)—Rev. Bob Richards, the leaping preacher whose pole vault exploits have stolen the track spotlight from mile king Don Gehrman, was honored today as the "outstanding performer" of Saturday's Boston A.A. track meet. Regarding Richards' second 15-foot-plus vault within 24 hours, a committee of sports writers voted him the John J. Hallahan award for the meet. By contrast, Gehrman, who whipped Fred Wilt by 10 yards in a 40.9 hunter mile, didn't get a single first place vote and wound up fourth in the balloting.

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WINNIE RUTH JUDD GETS LOOSE AGAIN

Famed-Insane Murderess Eludes Searchers After Cunning Break From Arizona Hospital

PHOENIX, Ariz., Feb. 4 (UP)—Winnie Ruth Judd, the tiger woman of the '30's, stalked free today as authorities viewed her fifth disappearance from the Arizona State Hospital as a master escape plan assisted by one or more accomplices.

The 47-year old insane murderess descended a 48-foot makeshift ladder Saturday night after forcing a heavy window screen. Apparently she cut-scaled a nine-foot barb-wire enclosure and sped off into the night in a black sedan with California license plates.

Hospital Superintendent M. W. Conway disclosed Sunday night that a special guard was stationed at Mrs. Judd's room after she boasted "someone will help me escape."

He said, however, the guard was later removed when "we decided it was just another story she made up."

OUTSIDE HELP

"In view of the reports we have received about a car being seen, and her bragging to the other patients, there is no doubt she had some outside help in escaping," Conway said.

Police reported that one car bearing California license plates had been discovered, but said investigation proved it couldn't possibly have been in Phoenix at the time of Mrs. Judd's escape. Law enforcers of Maricopa County said the red-haired former nurse may be disguised. They said she had access to a store-room at the asylum where show costumes were kept.

A navy blue dress was reported missing and authorities were checking the inventory to determine if other garments also were gone.

The officials also looked into a report by two waitresses that a woman answering Mrs. Judd's description objected to paying 25 cents for a package of cigarettes in the cafe where they worked. The price of cigarettes was only recently raised from 21 cents a pack.

"She had lots of friends who might help her escape," the sher-

Winnipeg Pastor Warns Others Of Faith Healers

WINNIPEG, Feb. 4 (CP)—Rev. H. G. Tolton of King Memorial United Church in a sermon Sunday warned Tofofo citizens against the "Kind of religious demonstration we had in Winnipeg a short time ago."

He spoke of a "Faith Healing" mission conducted by Rev. A. C. Valdez of Phoenix, Ariz., and said "this is the sort of thing which will be going on in Toronto shortly."

His sermon was entitled "Whose Crime?" and he said he proposed to put on trial "something which goes under the name of religion. I propose to show how this so-called religion is a terrible travesty of religion."

The minister made no direct reference to two members of his church, Mr. and Mrs. Gavin McCullough, who have been charged with murder in the slaying of their seven-year-old foster child, Martha Louise.

He said, however, "If the Valdez mission had not come to Winnipeg, I believe this morning we would have had our normal congregation here, including people I have seen here every Sunday until recently."

Japan Asks Control Of Four Air Bases

TOKYO, Feb. 4 (AP)—Japan has asked the United States to return Haneda, Tokyo's biggest airport, and three other U.S. air bases to Japanese control, Kyodo News Agency said Saturday.

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Britain Can Take It

THE CHURCHILL GOVERNMENT has begun, and only begun, to put Britain back on its economic feet. The new austerity program means two things: Britain will reduce its imports by roughly \$1.5 billions this year as compared to last and will attempt a deflation of the domestic economy. It is impossible yet to estimate the economic effects of these measures but the human effects on British living standards will be cruel. Britain, as usual, can take it.

There is no indication yet as to where the import cuts will fall but presumably they will touch the exporters not only of the sterling area but of the United States and Canada in the dollar area.

There can be no large reduction in total imports from Canada since most of them are absolutely essential and the largest wheat is fixed in volume and price by the international wheat agreement. However, there can be trimming at the edges and British Columbia may feel it in such things as fish, apples and lumber.

The largest question here, of course, is how our great timber industry is to be affected by a possible reduction in the volume of our British market and the price it will pay when the present contract lapses in June. Certainly we must be ready for some loss of business.

If the first necessity of British policy is to reduce the present alarming deficit in foreign trade the second is to cure the inflation at home. This can be done only by increasing the production of goods or reducing home consumption, or both. As increased production takes time, the government is relying on decreased consumption and this simply means that the living standard will drop.

The next question involved in the government's policy is the future of the welfare state established by its predecessor. The expanding governmental services, however desirable, use up large quantities of materials and manpower

desperately needed in production but the government has not dared to cut these services very deeply.

There will be minor charges on the individual for various health services to discourage unnecessary demands for them but the largest item of the welfare state, the subsidies on food and housing prices, has not been touched so far. Perhaps that is judged politically impossible at the moment though the economic arguments for it are almost unanswerable. There will be no very large cut in government non-defense spending, despite the reduction in the civil service, so far as the government's present announcement shows, though this step may be taken in the next budget. It cannot be said that the problem of inflation is being tackled fundamentally until these costs are reduced.

All things considered, the government has taken a bold preliminary measure and risked great political damage thereby. Mr. Churchill is making good in stages his statement in Ottawa recently that everything that has to be done will be done. Other stages no doubt are to follow.

Britain, which was long deluded by the optimism of the Labor government, is now facing up to its actual position of poverty and trying to adjust its living standards to its means and at the same time it is going ahead with its defense program, at a modified pace, in a fashion which should inspire every other nation in the free world. Its attitude of determination, its willingness to accept harsh sacrifices is a rebuke to every North American who complains that defense costs money in taxes and imagines that we can have defense and solvency without any effect on living standards.

Britain can take it in heavy doses. The relatively minor doses we are asked to take in America look small to the point of humiliation in comparison with life in the Old Land.

Guaranteed Income In The Woods

THE INTERNATIONAL WOODWORKERS OF AMERICA (I.C.O.C.C.L.) had before their Vancouver convention a report on a guaranteed wage plan. Only meagre details have been presented in the press, but the potential benefits of the scheme are apparent to the public.

In the hot, dry spells of summer and in the cold snaps of winter, when snow lies deep, woodsmen cannot work. The fluctuating seasonal conditions which govern their employment automatically create an insecurity which the industry would like to avoid. In some instances, big operators keep their men busy, sometimes on road work or other activities connected with logging when the actual cutting and loading cannot be undertaken.

In other instances the loggers put aside their tools and head for centres of population to await the re-opening of the woods. In the latter case, communities in which they congregate come to a speedy recognition of the woodworkers' financial difficulties.

It is a general public belief that loggers are well paid while they work, partly because of the broken time they must accept, and partly because of the hazardous nature of their industry. It is the general public belief, too, that woodworkers spend freely while they are earning, often leaving themselves without a nest-egg when they are out of a job.

If a guaranteed wage scheme were put into force—the plan submitted in Vancouver suggests an arrangement whereby they would have income for

228 days of the 241 they might work were it not for climatic or other disruptions—they could find a measure of security few of them possess now.

On the other hand, it would be informative to the public if proponents of the plan explained the concessions the woodworkers were prepared to make for such guaranteed earnings.

Given a measure of security they do not have at present, would the union members accept a lower wage scale? In return for assured pay cheques spread over a 10 months period, would they be prepared to make some sacrifice in the hourly pay rate?

The questions are particularly pertinent. At present much domestic building is being delayed because costs are high. An important element in those costs is the price of lumber and a significant factor in that price is labor.

Also due for consideration is the position in which a guaranteed-wage scheme would place the small operator. Could he afford to carry men over the non-productive periods of work stoppages, or would he be subjected to another pressure squeezing him out of business?

A great deal of merit may be seen in the proposal to stabilize woodworkers' earnings, but none will question the complexities such an arrangement would entail.

Before any conclusive agreement can be reached, detailed negotiations will be necessary—negotiations conducted by cool heads competent to exercise the two characteristics of compromise and conciliation.

More Grist For Mine, Mill

IN 1950 THE UNITED STATES TOOK Paul Robeson's passport privileges from him. The action followed statements made by the great Negro singer in foreign countries that were considered highly detrimental to the United States. Last week, the U.S. immigration authorities denied him entry into Canada when he reached the border en route to Vancouver for an engagement with the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers (Ind.).

At the same time Vincent Hallinan, an attorney for leftist labor leader Harry Bridges, heading for the same meeting, was refused permission to leave the United States. In each case violation of the immigration department's ruling could subject either man to a five year's prison sentence and a \$10,000 fine.

The action taken by the authorities is strictly a United States affair. Decisions on the cases are matters of domestic policy.

Canadian discussion of the issue might end right there were it not for the fact that the International Union of

Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers has known Communist leadership. Because of that, and because of the Communist technique of provoking incidents for propaganda purposes, suspicions are automatically aroused.

Having been deprived of his passport in a move to prevent him from campaigning along pro-Russian lines in foreign countries, did Robeson believe that he would be allowed out of the United States into Canada merely because passports are not required for such border crossing? Or was the incident contrived by Robeson and Mine, Mill?

Robeson makes excellent copy for the Communist press. Refusal to permit him to enter Canada provides a peg on which it may hang a conventional tirade against the "lack of freedom in a democracy." The outpourings may be visualized in advance.

The pattern seems a little too pat. If the border incident wasn't engineered, it seems to have met all the specifications for an outburst on familiar Communist lines.

For Eyes That Will See

DURING JANUARY THE WINNIPEG Free Press paid editorial tribute to one of its contributors, a naturalist and writer who began a series of articles on birds, under the heading "Chickadee Notes," in March 1951. Since the Manitoba paper introduced that feature, the writer, A. G. Lawrence, whose identity has just been disclosed, has produced 1,600 columns.

The articles are authentic and authoritative. They are written, moreover, in a simple style which has won a wide circle of readers.

The success of Mr. Lawrence's work is attributable to the excellent job he has done. It detracts nothing from his performance, however, to note the genuine appeal of the subject on which he has chosen to write.

Bird lovers of Victoria are constantly proving their absorbing interest in the subject. Crowds at Audubon lectures,

good enrolment for Charles Guiguet's special course on "The Birds of Vancouver Island," and countless individual activities centred on the study and enjoyment of different species furnish abundant evidence of this interest.

There is everything to commend these hobbies. In a world that is too much with us, it is refreshing and inspiring to join a little more fully in the enjoyment of the natural world that is around us. If more people allowed themselves more time for that enjoyment, there might be fewer Willy Lomans facing the prospects of the Death of a Salesman.

Mr. Lawrence of the Free Press, without advertising the fact, has been pointing out that lesson in his columns, as have a number of other excellent writers on nature subjects. They deserve the thanks of a society moving frighteningly through a mechanical era into an age of the mechanical brain.

A Scot Views The Square Dance

By ALASTAIR M. DUNNETT
From Glasgow, in The Sunday Times

WHEN the square-dancing demonstration teams take the floor to show how it's done, they arrive with an unhill-billy urgency. The ladies, in poke bonnets and long print gowns, skip to the centre of the dance floor, crying "Vivvee." The men are in blue jeans and their second-best straw hats, one of them is actually on bare feet, with a splendid bush of whiskers and a plunging shirt open to the waist. The patrons of our not unrefined dance hall retire to the walls.

A man in a white Stetson hat grasps the microphone. (Do they always wear their hats indoors?) There is shouting and manoeuvring for position. We know enough to recognize that they have not, as expected, formed a square, but two facing lines. It is a tense scene. This should be good. A blast of music from the orchestra, and they are off.

WHAT follows is as sharp a disillusionment as the great baseball-rounders hoax. They are not engaged in a swift and intricate dance. They are not, it appears, even dancing at all, if we know anything. What they are doing is playing at "The Grand Old Duke of York," an item reserved for the young and boisterous at an age when they have still to discipline the rhythms that lie within themselves.

In a short time they abandon the first plan, and change to a second which looks like a simplified version of the first figure of quadrilles. This is followed by another of much the same sort. Fairly well the pattern of the evolutions the kindly and not too critical eye can discern hints of dances which are done here, and done very well. Also, we do not dress down for our performances. For this is happening in Scotland, which is the last place for anyone to appear with a square dance which is blunt at the corners.

IT MAY well be that a craze for American square dancing may meet a mood of the times. It is far away from urban problems; it has not ticking mechanism; above all, it is American, a current guarantee of success.

But, as dances, the new items will have a precarious future. They have to compete with standards and numbers which they do not appear to have the inherent art to overtake. Perhaps the best known of our folk dances is the eightsome reel, which is universal even in city ballrooms, and which has found its way into England too. There is also the gay "Dashing White Sergeant"; it has spread abroad, too, although I have never discovered why its original name is called "Staten Island." Others are making their way from rural scenes into the towns, and we should be exporting them soon.

BUT THESE well-known dances are regarded by the true exponents of our native dances in the manner Caruso might have adopted when asked to display his voice by singing the verse of "Night and Day." They have begun to appear in the ballroom through the excellent work of the Scottish country dance clubs, although I must declare that these clubs and classes have tended to make of our native dancing a gentle cult, and altogether too prim for my money.

BEHIND all this, however, is a wide-spread and virile countryside tradition, where Burns's line—"They reeled, they set, they crossed, they cleekit," well describes the accuracy and centrifugal violence brought to the performance. I am a prodigious collector of village dances, in the sense that I never pass by a local hall from which comes the well-known lantern beam, the irresistible appeal of reels, and the exact carrying beat of experts which cannot be mistaken. The scene within is one of gay and smart punctilio, with precision work that could be staged unedited.

IT IS A Mysterious influence, this Americanism, and it has already reached far within the brie-a-brac of our own folklore, making it part of a world cult with a new accent. It may go as far with our native dancing, but I doubt it.

Many people who cannot be called old remember with affection the days when they went to dances with six fresh collars, which wilted successively throughout the evening. Collars may be softer now, but times are harder, and there should be nothing sinister in the cultural initiative of a country which has the economic ascendancy. Perhaps the polite couple would be to join in, and on with the square dance.

LET THEM shout their battle cries! Let them beat their feet! Let them wag their whiskers! They shall not be the first fuzzy-wuzzles to break a British square. Only this time we should prefer to me a rare concession and say an English square. That's it. They broke your old English square, but they won't break ours.

Grim Prospect

Edmonton Journal

THERE is something chilling about that story from Britain telling how a group of schoolboys are to be trained at atomic technicians at the new research centre of Aldermaston. The five-year course, it seems, will be carried on under conditions of extreme secrecy and seclusion; the young students will be kept as "voluntary prisoners" behind fences, which they will only rarely be allowed to leave.

Such a system is far removed from any normal conception of education or apprenticeship, even in the strictest military academies. It is uncomfortably reminiscent of the methods of "conditioning" young people used by totalitarian states, particularly the "castles of the order," in which Hitler proposed to train future Nazi leaders.

The idea has a certain grim logic, but one cannot help wondering what sort of one-sided products this queer prison-school will eventually turn out—even though the plans call for sending the graduates to an ordinary university later.

Then, too, how long will it be before the call goes out for similar methods of training in other industries and public services where security is considered of vital importance? It is a disturbing picture of what all education might become in an age overshadowed by war and espionage.

The Butler Announces A Visitor



Logging The Watershed

Being an Extension Forester, I have been concerned lately with some of the inferences made through the press regarding the logging of the Sooke Watershed. There seems to be a tendency to view the problem as a case of extremes rather than one involving the application of the Science of Forest Management. It is not strange that the public should feel apprehensive at the mention of logging operations in their watershed area because they have nothing but the drastic clear-cut logging of the past on which to base their opinion. However, there is no reason whatever to conclude that this "cut and get out" method is in any way related to normal forestry practice.

In its broadest sense, Forest Management consists of making the best use of a forest to obtain the greatest benefit for the people of dependent communities. Of the many purposes a forest may serve, timber supply and watershed control are probably the most important. Since neither of these offer any serious conflict in management problems, it can be truly said that good forest management leads automatically to good watershed control.

Applied to the Sooke Watershed area, the problem of getting the old mature forest under management presents a few slight difficulties, each of which must be solved on the individual merits of each stand. With careful distribution of the cut and due consideration to regeneration, there is not the slightest doubt but that Victoria can maintain an ample water supply and at the same time reap the benefits of a well managed community forest.

Since I am well acquainted with the many advantages derived by communities in Europe from their community forests and feel that all towns and municipalities in this province should have a community forest, it would be unfortunate for the cause of good forest practice if the Sooke Watershed forest could not be put on a sound management basis.

D. M. TREW.

887 Bank Street.

The South Vancouver Island Rangers, through the press and radio, have repeatedly publicized their objection to any type of logging on the Sooke Lake Watershed on the grounds that the cutting of trees would seriously deplete the present municipal water supply. Such an erroneous contention is merely the opinion of this group and is not supported by quantitative or factual demonstration.

Runoff or stream flow is the residual water from precipitation after losses by transpiration, interception, evaporation, and deep seepage have been deducted. The rainfall and the deep seepage are little if at all influenced by vegetation. There remain, therefore, the losses by transpiration and interception of vegetation, and evaporation from the soil, all of which vary with the kind, size and

density of the vegetation. They are, therefore, water losses which influence runoff and are not subject to modification by intensive forest management.

No one will dispute the assertion that runoff may be accelerated as a result of certain types of logging activity. However, the proposed forest management plan advocated for the Sooke Lake Watershed requires their cutting in very small, selected and scattered patches of timber, leaving intervening reserve blocks to provide for seed source and fire protection.

An added provision is compulsory artificial regeneration, where required, immediately following logging. Such a well-regulated and controlled system of logging will have no discernible effect on runoff or erosion and will most certainly have no detrimental effect on the present or potential available water supply.

Sooke Lake is one of the main storage reservoirs for the domestic water supply of Greater Victoria. The capacity of the present storage works is not capable of utilizing the total water yield from this source, with the result that a tremendous volume passes over the dam spillway as waste each year.

In 1951, this excess amounted to 17,000,000 gallons which is equivalent to three years' supply at the city's present rate of water consumption. With minor modifications the present storage capacity of Sooke Lake could be increased, therefore, to supply water to a population in excess of 300,000.

Sooke Lake merely acts as a catchment basin for the direct precipitation and runoff available from the surrounding drainage area, and, under certain conditions, the entire Sooke Lake watershed could be denuded of forest cover with no appreciable change in water yield. However, good management will never permit such denudation to occur, because, without a doubt, the maximum value of a watershed can be realized only by efficient and intelligent multiple use of the available natural resources.

As a private citizen and forester I strongly deprecate the false theory of forest water supply which is frequently expounded by the South Vancouver Island Rangers.

This body, apparently unhampered by any knowledge of the cold facts of successful forest management in watershed areas of the United States and Europe, seems to believe that the word conservation is synonymous with non-use. Such misrepresentation of the facts savors of political expediency rather than of the sciences.

The domestic water supply for Greater Victoria will not be depleted by suitably planned logging activities on the Sooke Lake Watershed. The present plan merely proposes the application of sound economics and the ultimate in multiple land use, so as to protect both the quantity and quality of the municipal water supply simultaneously with the conservation and best use of the present and potential timber resources of the area.

R. M. MALCOLM.

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As Our Readers See It

PEARKES AND PEACE COUNCIL

A Canadian Press dispatch from Winnipeg reports the statement made recently by Major Gen. G. R. Pearkes, V.C., Progressive Conservative M.P. for Nanaimo as follows: "Economic, social and moral aid to Western Europe is more important than military aid."

We agree wholeheartedly with Gen. Pearkes. Instead of sending our troops to Europe, as we are doing, we should send our B.C. lumber. This applies not only to Europe, but Asia and the whole world. The way to peace is not through sending our armed forces abroad, but by reciprocal trade with all countries.

(MRS.) E. A. PEASE,
Secretary, Victoria Peace Council.

GOOD-SAMARITAN

I would like to say a few words through your paper, The Daily Times, in regard to the kindness of a very fine gentleman stationed at Work Point Barrack, namely Sgt. C. West.

My husband, Fred Sparks, is a great sufferer with arthritis, and is also a shut-in, not having been able to leave his room for nearly two years. The sergeant heard of this and brought his movie outfit over to our house on Monday evening, Jan. 28, and gave us both a very nice evening.

It was a nice change for my husband, and we appreciate very much the kindness of Sgt. West and wish him the best of luck at all times.

B. SPARKS.

322 John Street.

AMUSEMENT TAX

My attention this last week has been focused on the baseball campaign—in line with many other citizens. It was during a current radio broadcast the figures were released stating that the Victoria Athletics owe the provincial government an amount of \$4,000 for Amusement Tax.

It would be interesting to know why the late Minister of Finance in the Coalition government, namely, Mr. Herbert Anscomb, allowed non-payment of this important tax to pass unchecked.

It is generally assumed that amusement taxes are collected almost immediately and in the case of sports, assessment made on the gross gate at the time of the event. If unpaid it would be assumed an inspector would be sent to check.

Apparently in the case of the Athletics the tax inspector under Mr. Anscomb's supervision—let this group escape tax responsibility.

I wonder if we citizens would receive as calm treatment should we choose to let our due taxes roll idly on for a year or so.

A report from Mr. Anscomb would be enlightening!

H. V. JONES.

1329 Pandora Ave.

QUEBEC SCHOOLS

In answer to a letter from "Equality," I sent the cutting to the Quebec Gospel Fellowship and asked if the statements made in this letter were true. We are members of this Fellowship, and the reply is: No!

I am sending you the reply we received:

"Equality" is quite misinformed in his statement to the press according to information I have received from the Protestant school secretary. The Quebec government grants up to 60 per cent in the cost of erection of a Protestant school but no part of the grant is for the children. No Protestant school in the province of Quebec receives complete government support as stated by Equality.

"Equality" also states that 'in the event that the non-Catholic minority is too small to warrant separate schools, separate classrooms are maintained where desired, in the public Catholic school building.' This is a complete misstatement. To start with, there is no such thing as a public school in the province of Quebec: it is either Roman Catholic or Protestant. And in no case are there any Protestant classes being held in Roman Catholic schools. This would only obtain in the event of the Protestant parents permitting the Protestant child to receive Roman Catholic teaching at the hands of Roman Catholic nuns, priests or brothers.

(MRS.) MARY PEAT.

R.R. 3.

Ups And Downs

By BRIAN TORIN

EVERY now and then," said the Elevator Man, "things seem to get like they are in Kansas City, according to the song. They go about as far as they can go. And after that it doesn't seem worthwhile to bring them back. That's the way that woman in California felt about it last week. She was arrested on a charge of arson. And she was the reason she tried to burn her house down was that it had got so untidy it wasn't worth starting to clean it. It seemed a better idea to start right from scratch again, and that's what she did, with a match. Going up!"

"In her own way," said the Elevator Man, "she had a solution to her problem. And it wasn't far different from our method of dealing with the world's troubles. In a dozen places on the globe the human race has found it easier to set fire to the problem than clean it up. And our way of doing it is much like the California woman's, too. She got the blaze going nicely in the attic, then went downstairs and relaxed in a telephone chat with a friend. A lot of us are relaxing and talking, too, while the flames eat away upstairs. We'll be lucky if the fire department gets here in time, as it did for the lady arsonist. Going down!"

"And we can't," said the Elevator Man, "do like that woman in the yarn who rang up an insurance company. 'I want to insure my house,' she said in an excited way. 'Can I do it over the phone?' 'I'm afraid not,' said the clerk. 'Perhaps we'd better send a man along.' 'No time,' said the lady. 'I've got to do it immediately. The place is on fire!'"

The Timid Soul

BY H. T. WEBSTER



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WEATHER SYNOPSIS

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SYNOPSIS: A strong flow of moist Pacific air from the southwest coupled with a series of storms has given mild unsettled weather over B.C. for the past several days. Little change is occurring in the general weather pattern, so that conditions over the province are not expected to show much change in the next couple of days.

REGIONAL FORECASTS VALID UNTIL MIDNIGHT TUESDAY

VICTORIA: Cloudy with showers Tuesday. Little change in temperature. Wind light tonight, high Tuesday morning, southeast 30 Tuesday afternoon. Low tonight and high Tuesday, 40 and 48.

GEORGIA STRAIT: Cloudy with showers Tuesday. Little change in temperature. Wind light tonight, high Tuesday morning, southeast 30 Tuesday afternoon. Low tonight and high Tuesday, 40 and 48.

WEST COAST: Cloudy tonight. Rain Tuesday. Little change in temperature. Wind light tonight, high Tuesday morning, southeast 30 Tuesday afternoon. Low tonight and high Tuesday, 40 and 48.

C.C.L. Will Investigate Future Potential Candidates For C.C.F.

VANCOUVER, Feb. 4 (CP).—The Canadian Congress of Labor in British Columbia will hold meetings to "discuss" potential C.C.F. candidates in future provincial and federal elections.

About 110 delegates at the annual convention of the 50,000-member B.C. Federation of Labor, the C.C.L.'s political arm in B.C., made the decision Sunday after prolonged debate.

The annual meeting instructed the federation executive "to call delegated conferences in the industrial areas to discuss potential candidates and programs in line with C.C.L. policy."

The C.C.L. has designated the C.C.F. as the political arm of labor.

The amended resolution took the place of a motion submitted by the Maritime Workers and Boilermakers' Industrial Union, Local 1, which reads: "This convention go on record as encouraging our local unions on a constituency basis to make every effort to establish unity with other labor and progressive bodies to the end that labor can support unitedly one candidate in each constituency."

CHARGE MEDDLING

Some delegates spoke against the motion, indicating it was meddling in the affairs of the C.C.F.

INSURANCE CHANGES ASKED

Laborites Want Premium Cut, Benefits Increased

VANCOUVER, Feb. 4 (CP).—Extensive changes in the British Columbia Hospital Insurance Act were proposed today by representatives of 50,000 B.C. trade unionists.

The 110 delegates to the eighth annual convention of the B.C. Federation of Labor (C.C.L.) demanded a decrease in premium rates and elimination of co-insurance charges.

It was demanded that any additional monies needed by the scheme should be paid out of a portion of the present 3 per cent sales tax or by an assessment on industry.

Other changes demanded by the representatives of 40 unions were:

- The scheme pay for ambulance service—including air ambulance.
- Premium exemptions for persons receiving government pensions and for all persons earning less than \$100 a month.
- All treatment provided for inpatients under the act to be extended to out-patients.

B.C. Labor Federation Decries Transfer Vote

VANCOUVER, Feb. 4 (CP).—The government has been requested not to proclaim the transferable ballot bill.

The single transferable vote would "create considerable confusion leading to thousands of spoiled ballots," said a resolution passed today at the annual convention of the British Columbia Federation of Labor (C.C.L.).

The transferable vote, which gives voters a second choice of candidates, was passed by the legislature last year, but has not yet been proclaimed by the government.

Another resolution passed called for the fixing of any eligible person who does not vote, unless he can show satisfactory cause for failing to do so.

The transferable vote was said to cause confusion because it "is completely foreign to the method the citizens of this province have been accustomed to."

All governments were called on to implement a new housing plan to be paid "out of the profits of big business."

The convention demanded the government halt all immigration until such time as all our people have work.

FLOODING THE MARKET

"The Canadian government is bringing in immigrants by the thousands with the obvious intention of flooding the market with cheap labor and weakening our unions," the resolution said.

There was no discussion when a motion was passed setting the policy of the federation to "assist when possible the merger of the Labor movement."

The federation will also co-operate with other unions to "obtain the legislative requirements of Labor."

Fair employment practices, civil liberties and anti-discrimination also came up at the convention.

Resolutions demanded:

- The provincial and federal governments lift restrictions in their employment regulations to allow hiring of persons over 40.
- The provincial government enact legislation guaranteeing the hiring of people for ability only and not because of racial, political or religious qualifications.
- The federal government institute "a bill of rights in Canada whereby civil liberties of the citizens of this country will be fully protected."

The B.C. government was asked to change existing legislation to provide for two weeks' holiday with pay, and eight hours' work a day for 40 hours a week.

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German Churchman Refuses Decoration

BONN, Germany, Feb. 4 (AP).—Bishop Otto Dibelius, head of the German Evangelical (Lutheran) Church, whose flock lives on both sides of the Iron curtain, has refused a decoration from the West German government.

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The vest, powered by a small battery, is made of lightweight khaki silk. The King also has a pair of electrically-heated shoes to wear when shooting game. He cannot walk far and does his shooting from an open station wagon.



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Victoria Dancer Stars With National Ballet

By MAX McMAHON

MONTREAL, Feb. 4. (CP).—The Canadian National Ballet Company Saturday night completed its first Montreal tour before an appreciative audience. A young Victoria girl, Joyce Hill, was a star of the company.

Formed less than a year ago by Celia Franca, formerly of Sadler's Wells of England, the company was recruited from among young dancers from coast to coast. Common complaint paid by the audience was that the whole corps de ballet was good, particularly as many members of the company seemed to switch easily from classical to modern dancing in most of the numbers.

Miss Franca herself was applauded loudly, not only for her direction but also for her tireless dancing in the popular dance of Salome. She originally composed the number on commission from the BBC for television.

HIGH PRAISE

"It was she in whom Dame de Valois, director of the Sadler's Wells Ballet Company said, "... probably the finest dramatic dancer 'Wells' ever had."

A favorite classical number, to judge from audience reaction, was Giselle, with Irene Apine of Halifax dancing the lead and

Jury Gotshalks, also of Halifax, portraying the Duke of Albrecht. In their fiery interpretation of the Pas de Deux from Don Quixote, the young Halifax couple were given probably the loudest applause and called back for more encores than any other performers in the company.

VICTORIA GIRL STARS

The audience roundly applauded the Polovetsian dances from Prince Igor, the fast, hard tempo of which offset other more studied dances. Of Joyce Hill of Victoria, who danced the part of the main Polovetsian girl, one member of the audience was heard to say, "she seems to be having such a lot of fun."

Ballet master, David Adams, of Winnipeg, was acclaimed by many for what they termed his "flawless dapping," particularly when he performed the Pas de Deux from Giselle with his wife, Lois Smith of Vancouver.

They were well received, too, in their portrayals of the Nutcracker Prince and the Sugar Plum Fairy in Tchaikovsky's Nutcracker Suite.

Other numbers of the company's repertoire presented during the three-day run were Les Sylphides, Ballet Composité, Coppelia, and an etude by Tchaikovsky.

IN HOLLYWOOD

James Mason Selects 10 Most Exciting Actresses

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 4 (AP).—"Everyone else is picking 10 best lists," remarked James Mason, "so why should I be different?"

The British actor is well known for his outspoken behavior. He once blasted Hollywood without having seen it, but now appears to be a confirmed Californian. He told me he was willing to stick his neck out and name the ten most exciting actresses.

Mason composed his list with his wife, brunette beauty Pamela Kellino, sitting behind him. He declared, however, that there

was no pressure concerned with his first choice:

1. Pamela Kellino. "She is a constant stimulant to me in my work and daily life. She never lets up. She is like a steady supply of benzadrine tablets."

2. Ava Gardner. "Although she is a glamorous, she is not the inanimate type of movie queen. She is a natural, exciting, feminine human being. There is nothing at all vicious about her; she is really a shy, innocent girl."

MOST STRIKING

3. Lauren Bacall. "I think she is the most striking looking girl in Hollywood. She is loud, natural, honest and dynamic. She looks powerful, as though she could pack a wallop."

4. Danielle Darrieux. "She has the sophisticated manner that the great actresses had in the old days."

5. Joan Bennett. "Unlike some of the more recent actresses, she is poised and attractive on all occasions."

6. Faith Domergue. "She seems to have great reserves of temperament and power which seldom show themselves."

7. Lena Horne. "She is perhaps the most beautiful, graceful and talented performer in this town."

8. Peggy Lee. "She has the personality, looks and piquancy to make an exciting individual."

9. Vivien Leigh. "She has the three essentials for a great actress: outstanding beauty and more intelligence and imagination than the others."

10. Judy Garland. "She has a tremendous, exciting, dynamic talent."

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Commercial Practice	10:30-12:00 p.m.

TUESDAY, FEB. 5

Minor Hockey	7:00-8:30 a.m.
Commercial Practice	8:30-11:30 a.m.
Nades	11:30-1:30 p.m.
Pro Hockey	8:30 p.m.
Inter-Dept. League	10:30-12:30 p.m.

IN TOWN TONIGHT

ON THE SCREEN

ATLAS—"Meet Me After the Show," at 2:45, 5:54, 9:34, plus "A Millionaire for Christie."

CAPITOL—"Let's Make It Legal," at 1:46, 3:44, 5:42, 7:40, 9:45.

DOMINION—"Elopement," at 1:17, 3:21, 5:25, 7:29, 9:38.

FOX—"Peggy," plus "Smuggler's Island," Complete show 6:40, 9:05.

OAK BAY—"Stratton Story," at 7:02, 9:06.

ODEON—"Bend of the River," at 1:12, 3:17, 5:22, 7:27. Last show 9 p.m.

PLAZA—"The Sun Sets at Dawn," plus "Lust for Gold."

Royal Victoria Symphony Orchestra tonight, 8:30 p.m.

New Tooth No Trouble For 80-Year-Old Man

GENEVA, N.Y., Feb. 4 (AP).—Teething—or rather, tooth-losing—was painless for 80-year-old Clarence K. Estey. He said he cut a wisdom tooth without any discomfort.

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CAPITOL

January '52 Construction Slump Here

Construction in Victoria for January was less than half the total for the corresponding month last year, according to figures released today by the city building inspector's office.

A total of 141 permits were issued for construction valued at \$262,097, compared with 148 permits last January, for a total of \$370,249.

Several larger permits, including one for the provincial government boiler room at \$150,000, helped boost the January, 1951, total.

Construction in Oak Bay, Central Saanich and Esquimalt totaled \$111,070 for the month. Value of construction in Oak Bay was \$66,320, a \$4,000 increase over January of 1951; Esquimalt, \$42,500.

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U.S. FOREIGN AID CUT GAINS GROUND

Drive Led By Three Senators Aimed At Considerable Reduction In Truman Budget

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (UP)—The drive to cut down on the foreign aid program gained momentum in Congress today.

Three senators, two Democrats and one Republican, agreed that a considerable reduction can be made in President Truman's \$10,500,000,000 budget for foreign assistance, especially in economic aid.

Sens. Allen J. Ellender (D., La.) and Leverett M. Saltonstall (R., Mass.) said on the Columbia Broadcasting System's "People's Platform" radio program that they, too, believe foreign aid can be curtailed.

Elsewhere in Congress: Greece-Turkey—Chairman Tom Connally (D., Tex.) of the Senate foreign relations committee asked the Senate to approve an invitation to Greece and Turkey to join the Atlantic pact.

Wood Pulp—A House monopoly subcommittee reported that

the price of wood pulp, a chief ingredient of newspaper and other paper products, has been jacked up by a "Scandinavian cartel."

MASSACRE

Katyn Forest Massacre—A special House committee called in Col. John H. Van Vleet for questioning about the wartime massacre of 10,000 Polish officers near Smolensk. In an official report in 1945, Van Vleet said he believed the atrocity was committed by the Russians—not the Nazis. The report has disappeared.

Statehood—The Senate was scheduled to begin debate on a bill granting statehood for Alaska, but its supporters were trying to put the measure aside for the time being in favor of legislation granting statehood for Hawaii.

Suez—Sens. George W. Malone (R., Nev.) said that the British could not defend the Suez Canal against Russia for three months—no longer than Egypt could defend it alone.

McCarthy—Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy (R., Wis.) challenged President Truman to show him where he misquoted alleged F.B.I. reports in his recent Senate speech quoting the reports as saying that Philo Nash, a presidential assistant, has Communist ties.

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Egyptian Captive

A member of the Ismailia, Egypt, auxiliary police stands with his hands on his head, after he was captured by British troops during the fighting which ended 41 deaths and touched off the Cairo riots. The British quelled the uprising with tanks. (NEA radio-telephoto.)

Six Youths Held After Fatal Gang War In L.A.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 4 (UP)—Six youths were held on suspicion of murder today after a knife and gun battle between two rival eastside gangs which resulted in the death of one man and serious injuries to two others.

Police said one of the four suspects rounded up Sunday, Daniel Guerrero, 19, smirked during interrogation. "All I know is what I read in the papers."

The others booked were John M. Chanes, 19; Arthur Ballesteros, 21, and his 18-year-old brother, Henry.

Officers said the brothers and Chanes admitted involvement in the battle Friday night, but denied possession of firearms.

FIND WEAPONS

Two .22 calibre rifles were found at the home of the Ballesteros brothers, detectives said, along with a quantity of ammunition. The weapons belonged to Chanes, police said.

James Murrieta, 23, was killed in the battle, and Charles Leyva, 15, and William Rodriguez, 22, were taken to the hospital suffering abdominal and groin wounds. Their condition was described as serious.

Arrested earlier were John D. Cerda, 18, and Alfonso Ortega, 22. Cerda is in general hospital with a broken arm he received when he jumped a fence and fell while fleeing the fight.

The pair also denied use of firearms in the battle.

British Probe Shooting Incident In Falkland Islands

PORT STANLEY, Falkland Islands, Feb. 4 (Reuters) — Sir Miles Clifford, Governor-General of the Falkland Islands, was due at Hope Bay, Antarctica, today to investigate the Anglo-Argentine shooting incident.

A British party was attempting to land supplies at Hope Bay last Friday when an Argentine group fired over the Britons' heads, forcing them to return to their ship, the John Blasco.

Hope Bay is at the northern tip of Graham Land, part of the Falkland Islands dependencies which have long been disputed between Britain and Argentina. The British landing party intended to re-establish a survey base destroyed by fire about three years ago.

The Argentinians were there already, supported by a transport ship and a tanker. According to reports, the Argentine party brought forward machine guns and fired over the heads of the party. When this failed to drive off the Britons, a larger contingent moved in and the British force withdrew when an officer with a cocked pistol repeated his demand.

(A protest was lodged at the Argentine Foreign Office in

Buenos Aires. Reports said the Argentinian explanation admitted the men who fired the shots had exceeded their instructions.)

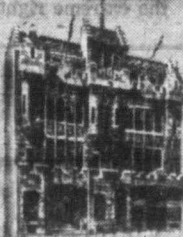
The episode was the latest difference of opinion in a long dispute between Britain and the Argentina, who (with Chile) has been claiming the Falkland Islands since they became a British Crown Colony in 1833.

She has also repeatedly laid claim to the Falkland Islands dependencies, a vast area of Antarctica between the 30th and 70th degrees of longitude—mainly the great peninsula of Graham Land and the large island groups

of South Shetland, South Orkney, South Georgia and South Sandwich. They are mostly tundra and icy waste, with inhabitants counted in twos and threes.

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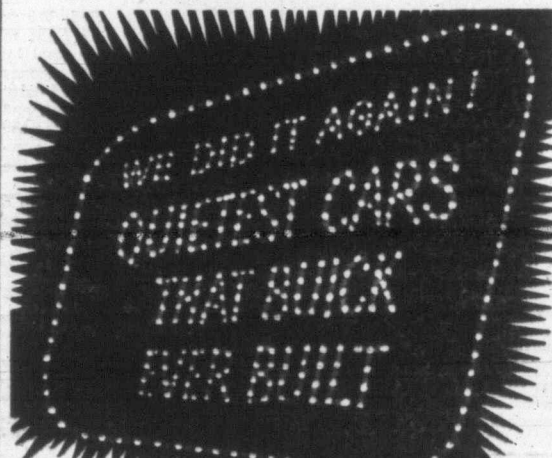
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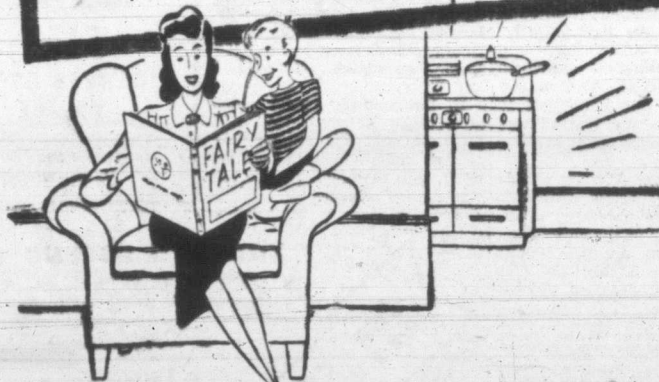


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Hey, Who's Doing All The Pushing . . .

Rough play typified the McKechnie Cup game between Victoria and U.B.C. Saturday, as the two teams battled to an 8-8 tie before an estimated 1,200 ardent fans. Here, Doug MacMillan of Varsity passes the ball from a line-out to team mate Bill Mulholland as Victoria's Gary Webster tries desperately to make an interception. Coming up behind Webster is the Tide's John Poole, who

eventually nailed Mulholland near the sidelines. Thunderbirds' Bill Walmsley was knocked to the ground by Webster in the youngster's attempt to grab the ball. Others shown are Tide's Colin Blyth at the far left, Harry Turner behind MacMillan and Bill Thorburn at the extreme right.

West's Lift Soccer Title Legion Upset By Duncan

MUSCULAR ACTIVITIES NOT HARMFUL TO HEART

NORRISTOWN, Pa., Feb. 4 (UP)—Dr. Ernst Jokl, South African heart specialist, said Sunday that the sudden deaths of young athletes during sports contests were not due to overstrain but to "cardiovascular abnormalities."

Jokl, medical consultant to the South African Army during the Second World War said there was "no such thing as 'heart strain' through athletics."

The South African cardiologist, acclaimed for his outstanding research in the field of physiology of exercise, said that extensive scientific study revealed "no deleterious effects of muscular activities upon the heart have ever been observed."

A's Get Week's Reprieve In Fund-Raising Drive

The Western International League has extended for one week the financing of Victoria's baseball franchise and commended the Canadian club's backers for their efforts to keep the team in Class A circuit.

League president Robert Abel said, Saturday, the Victoria team has made an "excellent start" in its campaign to reach its goal of \$35,000 for the refinancing.

"Based on the showing they already have made, we are confident they can properly refinance themselves," Abel continued.

Earlier, Abel had reported that Eugene, Ore., wanted to join the loop should Victoria be unable to

put its financial house in order. It was stated also that Tacoma, Wash., also wanted to regain the franchise which it lost to Lewiston, Idaho, last year. Bremerton is also interested.

In addition to the Victoria franchise problem, league directors are faced with schedule difficulties. They had decided to set the opening games for April 22, but the schedule has not been drawn up yet.

Meanwhile, Athletic Booster Club's booths in the city will accept donations or pledges for shares.

Final objective remains at \$35,000, with the approximate total of the money collected near the \$15,000 mark.

HOCKEY SCORES

SUNDAY

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Pittsburgh 4, Indianapolis 2.
Cleveland 7, Providence 3.
Cincinnati 5, St. Louis 3.

QUEBEC SENIOR

Quebec 4, Valleyfield 2.
Montreal 1, Chicoutimi 1 (overtime tie).

QUEBEC JUNIOR

Granby 2, Trois Rivières 2 (overtime).
Montreal National 6, St. Jerome 11.

SATURDAY

A.B.L.
St. Louis 6, Indianapolis 4.
Cleveland 6, Cincinnati 3.
Pittsburgh 5, Buffalo 1.

ANYTIME MAJOR

Sydney 2, Glenora 1.
Charlottetown 2, Halifax 4.
Moncton 2, St. John's 1.

QUEBEC MAJOR

Shawinigan 4, Ottawa 1.
Shawinigan Falls 3, Valleyfield 2.

ONTARIO SENIOR

Brampton 3, Kitchener 1.
Stratford 7, Owen Sound 6.

ONTARIO JUNIOR

Oshawa 6, Barrie 4.
Guelph 12, Waterloo 5.
Kitchener 4, St. Catharines 2.

MONTREAL JUNIOR

Windsor Maroons 4, Brandon 7.
Saskatchewan Senior.
Moose Jaw 7, Melville 20.

WESTERN CANADA JUNIOR

Calgary 5, Lethbridge 1.
Regina 6, Moose Jaw 7.

OKANAGAN SENIOR

Penticton 3, Kelowna 2.
Vernon 3, Kamloops 2.

WESTERN INTERNATIONAL-PACIFIC

Nelson 6, Sooke 4.
COAST SENIOR.
Kimberley 4, Nanaimo 7.

Stack Lost To Olympic Team

OSLO, Feb. 4 (CP)—Frank Stack of Winnipeg, one of Canada's all-time speed-skating greats, may be forced out of the Olympics due to an injury.

The 46-year-old skater said he has a torn cartilage in his left knee and hasn't skated in more than a week.

Stack told the Canadian Press in a telephone interview that he injured the knee while practising at Lillehammer, about 40 miles north of Oslo, with other members of the Canadian team.

Tide In Smashing Rally To Tie Varsity Ruggers

Narrowly Miss Victory In McKechnie Cup Game

By BILL HOLLAND

Victoria's Crimson Tide ruggers came within a hair's breath of taking their second straight McKechnie Cup victory at Macdonald Park Saturday after surging from behind for an 8-8 tie with Varsity Thunderbirds.

Coast Amateur Ice Playoffs Open Feb. 18

NANAIMO, Feb. 4 (CP)—A best-of-seven game series between Nanaimo Clippers and Vancouver Wheelers in the Pacific Coast Senior Amateur Hockey League playoffs will open here Monday, Feb. 18.

Second and third games will be at Nanaimo on Feb. 19 and 20, with the fourth game back in Kerrisdale Arena on Feb. 25. Further games, if required, will be: Feb. 26 at Nanaimo, Feb. 29 at Kerrisdale, March 1 at Nanaimo.

Winners of the Coast series will then play the Okanagan Senior Amateur League titlists for the B.C. championship.

Provincial titlists will represent B.C. against the survivor of the Alberta-Saskatchewan playoff for the Western Canada championship, won last year by the Clippers.

The near narrow margin of victory came late in the second half as the Tide, who had slowly gained momentum after a sluggish beginning, came within inches of scoring their third try, only to be balked by what seemed the cruel hand of fate.

A bad pass following a lightning three-line thrust which advanced the ball some 30 yards turned what looked like a certain score into sudden failure to capitalize on an excellent opportunity.

The game started off like the cracker of a pistol with the Thunderbirds smashing at the locals' defense until they scored on a try by ex-Victorian John Newton. Newton sped over near the flag, after taking a pass from scrum half Harry Oliver.

The fact the visitors were leading did not appear to phase the Crimson Tide, who at this time showed a complete lack of cohesion.

LONG GALLOP

And almost before the large crowd had a chance to forget Newton's performance, right wing three-quarters John Paul intercepted a pass from a Victoria three-line movement at mid-field, dodged fullback Derek Hydeley and scooted across for the second try. Bill Mulholland converted to put the mainlanders ahead 8-0.

But suddenly the Tide found itself and Dave McKenzie, easily the outstanding player of the day, carried the ball across the enemy line, culminating one of the nicest three-line runs of the day. McKenzie went the first 20 yards by himself.

Gary Pynn's conversion from a difficult angle split the goalposts to cut Varsity's lead to three points.

In the second half play roughed up considerably and with the added zest of the temper of the game increased.

MCKENZIE AGAIN

Victoria's second try came again through the efforts of McKenzie, who took a pass from Hydeley on a cross-field run and streaked across the Thunderbird line near the flag. Pynn narrowly missed the convert which would have broken the tie.

With six minutes to play it was touch and go with both squads having opportunities for victory.

Varsity made two or three meritable attempts as Victoria's defense showed signs of faltering but the sheer grit and determination of the locals was the deciding factor in each instance.

Varsity had the best of the scrums with the Tide dominating the line-outs. The Colleagues were also more alert on dribbling movements but this was offset by the ability of the Victoria backs to quickly reorganize their attack in face of the more forceful tactics of the visitors.

Along with McKenzie, other standouts of the Victoria side were Hydeley, Ray Caltan and Harry Turner. Mainland notables were Gerry Main, John Newton and Stewart Clyne, while Newton and Paul were always dangerous on the wings.

PLAYOFF LIKELY

Saturday's deadlock resulted in a two-way tie for first place between Victoria and Varsity, with Vancouver third place and North Shore in the cellar. Victoria and Varsity have one game left to play, the locals with North Shore and Thunderbirds against Vancouver.

If Varsity and Victoria should win their respective games a playoff will be necessary to decide the holder of the cup.

In a second division contest prior to the McKechnie Cup game, J.B.A.A. defeated Victoria College, 11-5.

Victoria's Hydeley-Lay McKenzie, Pynn, Burnett, Hicks, Caltan, Webster, Turner, Bonker, Ripley, Rythe, Poole, Mill, Thorburn, McDonald.

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Saanich Loop Cage Schedule

Saanich and Suburban League schedule to Feb. 16 follows:

FEB. 8 AT BRENTWOOD
Per-Wee boys, Brentwood-Saanich.
Midget boys, Brentwood-Saanich.
Intermediate B girls, Brentwood-Saanich.
Intermediate B boys, Saanich-Mount.

FEB. 9 AT SAANICH
Per-Wee girls, Saanich-Brentwood.
Midget girls, Saanich-Brentwood.
Intermediate B girls, Saanich-Brentwood.
Intermediate B boys, Saanich-Mount.

FEB. 11 AT SOOKE
Per-Wee girls, Sooke-Brentwood.
Midget girls, Sooke-Brentwood.
Intermediate B girls, Sooke-Brentwood.
Intermediate B boys, Sooke-Mount.

FEB. 12 AT SOOKE
Per-Wee girls, Sooke-Brentwood.
Midget girls, Sooke-Brentwood.
Intermediate B girls, Sooke-Brentwood.
Intermediate B boys, Sooke-Mount.

FEB. 14 AT SAANICH
Per-Wee girls, Saanich-Brentwood.
Midget girls, Saanich-Brentwood.
Intermediate B girls, Saanich-Brentwood.
Intermediate B boys, Saanich-Mount.

FEB. 15 AT BRENTWOOD
Per-Wee girls, Brentwood-Sooke.
Midget girls, Brentwood-Sooke.
Senior C men, Brentwood-Saanich.
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FEB. 16 AT SAANICH
Per-Wee girls, Saanich-Brentwood.
Midget girls, Saanich-Brentwood.
Intermediate B girls, Saanich-Brentwood.
Intermediate B boys, Saanich-Mount.

FEB. 17 AT SAANICH
Senior C men, Saanich-Brentwood.

NEW SYSTEM PLANNED FOR CAGE FINALS

In an effort to halt the constant bickering that has marked Vancouver Island senior A men's basketball playoffs in the past, a new system will be put into effect this year.

In the forthcoming series between Alberni and Victoria Individuals, a Vancouver and Alberni official will work the games in Victoria, with a mainland referee and a Victoria official handling the whistle in Alberni.

United Edges Courtney Side

Victoria United came from behind a 2-0 deficit Sunday to defeat Courtney intermediates in an exhibition soccer game at Windsor.

Frank Coates scored both goals for the up-landers in the first half. Wally Milligan notched the first United counter and Den McGee tied the count. Milligan punched home the winner with Bernie Clarkson adding the final tally.

The Macs will meet the Lakers, champions of the Cowichan Valley League, in the first of a home-and-home, two-game, total-point series for the Lower Island championship, the Cowichan High School gym.

HOLLYWOOD, Fla., Feb. 5 (UP)—Polly Riley, the Texas Miss whose unerring putter earned her and Bea McWane of Birmingham, Ala., the women's international four-ball golf title, said today she "definitely" will remain an amateur.

The Firemen defeated Dominion Hotel, 7-2, running in five goals in the second half.

Firemen Capture Anderson Cup Match

VANCOUVER, Feb. 4 (CP)—Vancouver Firefighters Saturday won their first round match in the Anderson Cup soccer play-offs.

The Firemen defeated Dominion Hotel, 7-2, running in five goals in the second half.

Williams Latest Upstart To Win Major Golf Award

TUCSON, Ariz., Feb. 4 (UP)—The youngsters took over golf's annual winter tour today in a "youth must be served" movement as slender Henry Williams, Jr., became the third newcomer to take the big money in the first five 1952 tournaments.

And with Lloyd Mangrum, the 1951 "Mr. Money Bags" with more than \$26,000 in his jeans for last year's efforts, headed back to his wintertime Los Angeles home, the tour had one less "old timer" to contend with.

Mangrum, who hit his 1951 stride once in the first month of the tour with his victory in last week's Phoenix Open, said he would take "a month or so" for rest and "very little golf."

He has complained in recent weeks that he wasn't "feeling so hot, physically or golfwise."

Williams, who copped the Tucson event here Sunday with a 72-hole six-under par 274, mean-while, will under the pack of lean and hungry newcomers on to El Paso for the \$10,000 El Paso Open. He finished two strokes ahead of Middlecoff, while Skeie Riegel, the former amateur champ turned pro, finished third in the wind-buffed Tucson tourney with a 278.

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BRUINS BLANK HABS

Lynn Receives Birthday Gift

By United Press

The Boston Bruins, after flitting about in the lower confines of the National Hockey League for the most of the season, are now making a serious bid for a playoff spot.

Honoring coach Lynn Patrick on his 40th birthday, the Bruins last night dumped the Montreal Canadiens, 1-0, to run their streak through four straight games.

The victory, provided by big Ed Sandford's second-period goal, gave the Bruins a four-point edge over the New York Rangers in their battle for fourth place. The Rangers lost to Detroit, 4-3, and the Chicago Black Hawks downed the Toronto Maple Leafs, 3-1.

FOURTH SHUTOUT

Sandford shared the hero's mantle with goalie Jim Henry at Boston. Brilliant all season, Henry kept the Canadiens at bay throughout the game in chalking up his fourth shutout of the present campaign.

At Detroit, the Red Wings fought a steady uphill fight to edge the Rangers on a goal by Ted Lindsay with only 29 seconds left. New York went ahead early on goals by Herb Dickenson and Wally Hergesheimer, but the Wings wouldn't quit and eventually pulled the game out of the fire.

The Black Hawks hustled to a

Calvey Joins Lyster Chain.

Nick Lyster confesses that he loves southpaws like a schoolboy loves pie. The popular Esquimalt boxing coach, who has turned out such notable left-handed swingers as Billy Buxton and last year's Golden Boy Wayne Robertson, now has another leftie to work with—Paul Calvey.

Lyster reported Saturday that Calvey had switched allegiance from James Bay Boxing Club to Lyster's Esquimalt domicile.

"With southpaws I can't lose," said Lyster, eyeing Feb. 23 on the calendar, the date of the Vancouver Island Golden Gloves.

Calvey, 23, Pennsylvanian, 5-2 and 16.21, Labin, 5-2, 16-27, Mo-Nell, 6-9, 14-19.

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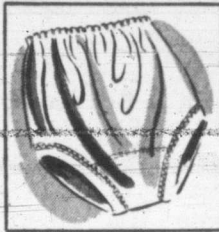
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English semi-porcelain. English scenes. Attractive shapes. Pair \$1
BAY China, Street Floor

69c Peat Moss
2 1/2 lbs. in each bag. The ideal plant food. 2 bags \$1
BAY China, Street Floor

Colored Sea Fern
Imported from England. Ideal for your table centerpiece. 4 pieces \$1
BAY China, Street Floor

\$1 Day Value!

Children's Briefs



3 prs. \$1

Special Purchase! Hard-wearing cotton briefs with elastic waist. White. 8-14.

BAY Girls' Wear, Second Floor

\$1 Day Value!

Printed Cottons!



3 yds. \$1

Special Purchase! 36-inch wide cottons. Washable prints in floral or novelty prints.

BAY Dress Goods, Second Floor

\$1 Day Value!

Print Dresses!



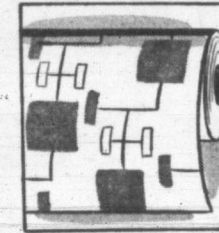
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Women's large size, better quality print dresses with cap sleeves, eyelet trim. Rose, Pink. 46-52.

BAY House Dresses, Second Floor

\$1 Day Value!

Linoleum Deluxe



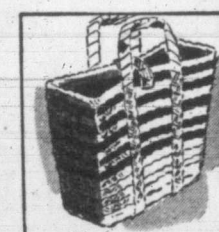
2 yds. \$1

Regular 72c yd. Long-wearing linoleum in square designs. Extra heavy coating of paint

BAY Floor Coverings, Fourth Floor

\$1 Day Value!

Shopping Baskets!



\$1

Straw baskets imported from Italy. Limited quantity only at this low price!

BAY Art Needlework, Street Floor

\$1 Day Value!

Cups and Saucers



6 for \$1

Imported cups and saucers of plain white, quality china. Tall shapes. Ideal for every day.

BAY China, Street Floor

Cotton Sleepers

Special Purchase! Drop back. Pink and Blue sleepers. \$1
Broken range, 1 to 3. Pair

BAY Children's Wear, Second Floor

Baby Pillows

Special Purchase! Quilted. *Satin pillows. Pink and Blue. Each \$1
*Rayon Satin

BAY Children's Wear, Second Floor

DOLLAR DAY!

Store-Wide Dollar Day! Hundreds of Values From Notions to Floor Coverings for All the Family!

Subs. Plant Pots
Glazed china... Yellow, Blue, White and Green 3 for \$1
BAY China, Street Floor

Stationery...
Boxed stationery. Quality paper and envelopes. Several styles. Box \$1
BAY Stationery, Street Floor

Sale of Books
Special Purchase! Fiction \$1 and non-fiction Each
BAY Books, Street Floor

Place Mats...
Special Purchase! Plastic. 12x18 inches, 12x17 inches. Assorted designs 3 for \$1
BAY Staples, Street Floor

36-Inch White Flette
Reg. 59c yard. Kingcot brand flette for durability. White. 2 yds. \$1
BAY Staples, Street Floor

Bridge Cloths
Special Purchase! White ground, print pattern. 36x36 inches. Each \$1
BAY Staples, Street Floor

Print Tea Towels
Special Purchase! Cotton towels. White with print pattern 3 for \$1
BAY Staples, Street Floor

79c Oven Mitts
Washable. Red or Green. Heavy looped cotton to protect from burns. 2 for \$1
BAY Staples, Street Floor

Lace Runners
Reg. 1.49. 12x50 inches. English cotton lace. Ecru color only. Each \$1
BAY Staples, Street Floor

Lace Doilies...
Reg. 39c. Hand-crocheted cotton, oval shape, 6x10 inches. White only. 3 for \$1
BAY Staples, Street Floor

Reinforced Wool
Nylon reinforced. Reduced to clear. Quality yarn. Assorted colors. 3 balls \$1
BAY Art Needlework, Street Floor

69c Tea Towels
Linen and cotton towels. Stamped with attractive design. 2 for \$1
BAY Art Needlework, Street Floor

Rubber Gloves
To keep hands smooth while doing housework. 2 prs. \$1
BAY Notions, Street Floor

Ankle Socks. Subs
Special Purchase! For boys. Assorted colors, de-signs. 8 1/2-10 1/2 3 for \$1
BAY Boys' Wear, Street Floor

Boys' Underwear
Special Purchase! Cotton briefs, vests. White. S., M., L. 3 for \$1
BAY Boys' Wear, Street Floor

Opera Slippers
Special Purchase! For boys. 100 pairs only. Wine. 1 to 5. Pair \$1
BAY Boys' Shoes, Street Floor

Rayon Crepe Slips
Lace trimmed at bodice. White. Sizes 32 to 40. Each \$1
BAY Lingerie, Second Floor

Blouses! Subs!
First sell for 2.98. Sleeveless summer blouses. 14-18. \$1 broken sizes. Each
BAY Sportswear, Second Floor

Imported T-Shirts
Reg. 1.59. Girls' combed cotton T-shirts. Classic, S.S., round neck. 34 to 40. Each \$1
BAY Junior Apparel, Second Floor

Rayon Briefs...
Subs. Neat, trim little briefs. Pastels. S., M., L. 3 for \$1
BAY Lingerie, Second Floor

Rayon Nightwear
Reg. 1.98. Gowns, pajamas, bed-jackets. Pastels. Small and medium. Each \$1
BAY Lingerie, Second Floor

Reg. 1.69 Teddies
Rayon knit with adjustable shoulder straps. 34-38. 2 for \$1
BAY Lingerie, Second Floor

Brassieres...
Clearance of well-known line! 30-40. A.B. fittings \$1 only. Each
BAY Corsets, Second Floor

Rayon Spuns...
Short ends of Shantung and plain spuns. 38 in. wide. 1 to 5 yds. 2 yds. \$1
BAY Dress Goods, Second Floor

Rayon Lengths
Satin, taffeta, Angleskin, 38 to 42. 1 to 5-yd. lengths. 2 \$1 Many colors. 2 yds.
BAY Dress Goods, Second Floor

Plastic Aprons
Bib-style aprons with contrasting frilling. Assorted colors 4 for \$1
BAY House Dresses, Second Floor

Nylon Garter Belts
Nylon marquisette with nylon taffeta. Adjustable supporters. White. Sizes 26-30. Each \$1

"Lastex" Girdles
Seconds and discontinued lines. Two-way stretch. S., M., L. Each \$1
BAY Corsets, Second Floor

Handkerchiefs
Special Purchase! Pure Irish linen. Hemstitched. White. 4 for \$1
BAY Men's Furnishings, Street Floor

Men's Hose...
Special Purchase! First quality hose. Won't shrink. 10 1/2-12. Pair \$1
BAY Men's Furnishings, Street Floor

Men's Ankle Sox...
Special Purchase! Pure nylon hose. Assorted shades. 10 1/2 to 12. Pair \$1
BAY Men's Furnishings, Street Floor

Leather Gloves
Special Purchase! For men. Knitted cuff. Tan color. M., L. Pair \$1
BAY Men's Furnishings, Street Floor

Nylon Hosiery
Special Purchase! Walking sheers. 45-gauge. 30-40. 8 1/2-11. Pair \$1
BAY Hosiery, Street Floor

Costume Jewellery
Manufacturer's Clearance Bracelets, earrings and pins. 2 for \$1
BAY Jewellery, Street Floor

Gay Flowers...
Artificial flowers in velvet or cotton. Wide color range. 3 for \$1
BAY Dress Accessories, Street Floor

Women's Belts
Velvets, leathers and plastic. Narrow and wide widths. Assorted colors. lengths. Each \$1
BAY Dress Accessories, Street Floor

Children's T-Shirts
Reg. 49c cotton T-shirts. Short sleeves, stripes. Sizes 2-6. 3 for \$1
BAY Children's Wear, Street Floor

Training Briefs
Quality cotton. Hard-wearing briefs in White, Blue, Pink. 2, 4, 6. 5 for \$1
BAY Children's Wear, Second Floor

Girls' Blouses
Special Purchase! Cotton broadcloth. Pink, White, Blue. 3-6 years. Each \$1
BAY Children's Wear, Second Floor

Jersey Slips...
Special Purchase! For girls. Washable slips in White only. 8-14. Each \$1
BAY Girls' Wear, Second Floor

Cotton Vests...
Special Purchase! For girls. Washable vests. White. 8-14. 2 for \$1
BAY Girls' Wear, Second Floor

Skirt and Halter
Gathered dirndl skirt and shoulder strap bras in colorful cotton prints. \$1
BAY Girls' Wear, Second Floor

.027 Train Track
Straight or curved electric train track. 4 for \$1
BAY Toys, Third Floor

Cardboard Garage
Toy garage of sturdy cardboard. Easy to assemble. No cutting, no pasting. \$1
BAY Toys, Third Floor

Dog Pull Toys
Regular 1.29. Sturdy wood constructed toys to delight the children. Each \$1
BAY Toys, Third Floor

Child's Stool...
Regular 1.25. Unpainted wooden stool with gay webbing top. Each \$1
BAY Toys, Third Floor

Hockey Sticks
Reg. 1.25 to 3.50. Assorted lays, mostly left. Each \$1
BAY Sporting Goods, Third Floor

Bob Skates...
Reg. 1.89. Children's bob-skates, adjustable sizes 6 to 11. Leather straps. Pair \$1
BAY Sporting Goods, Third Floor

Badminton Birds
Practice badminton shuttles of durable construction. 4 for \$1
BAY Sporting Goods, Third Floor

Badminton Presses
Regular 1.25. Smooth, splinter-free wood. Clearance. Each \$1
BAY Sporting Goods, Third Floor

Luggage Tags
Clear plastic tags with chain, fastener. Name, address and initials. Each \$1
BAY Sporting Goods, Third Floor

1.35 Tool Kits
Hammer, screwdriver, pliers for light repairs around the house. Set \$1
BAY Housewares, Third Floor

Painter's Special
1 qt. high gloss enamel. White or Ivory, plus 1 package of Dico-adoo cleaner. Special \$1
BAY Housewares, Third Floor

Pail, Scrub Brush
Reg. 1.50. Rustproof pail plus 1 hard-wearing scrub brush. Special \$1
BAY Housewares, Third Floor

"Carplate" Set
Reg. \$1. "Carplate" auto wax and cellulose sponge. Reg. 25c. Set \$1
BAY Housewares, Third Floor

Pin and Sifter
Maple rolling pin and flour sifter. 1.38 value! Set \$1
BAY Housewares, Third Floor

Double Boilers!
Reg. 1.25. 1/2-pint aluminum double boiler and package of regular 15c S.O.S. \$1
BAY Housewares, Third Floor

Wood Drills...
Quality auger bits for all wood. Assorted sizes. Special 2 for \$1
BAY Housewares, Third Floor

Varnish Brushes
Reg. 1.65. 2-inch brushes, nylon bristles for extra long wear. Each \$1
BAY Housewares, Third Floor

1.98 Sponge Mops
Special Purchase, or would sell for 1.98. Long-handled cellulose sponge mops. Each \$1
BAY Housewares, Third Floor

Canister Sets
Reg. 1.79. Set of four graduated canisters. Floral patterns. Set \$1
BAY Housewares, Third Floor

6-In. Stove Pipes
Get those needed stovepipe lengths at this low price. 2 for \$1
BAY Major Appliances, Third Floor

48-Inch Cretonne
Reg. 1.79. Modern print on quality pebble cloth. Dark shades. Yard \$1
BAY Draperies, Fourth Floor

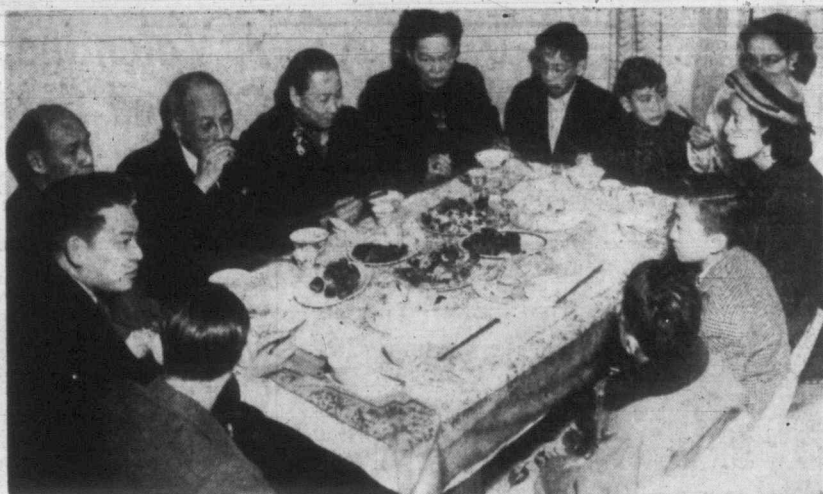
40-In. Rayon Damask
Reg. 1.45 yard. Attractive drapery fabric in six assorted shades. Yard \$1
BAY Draperies, Fourth Floor

45-Inch Marquisette
Reg. 1.49 yard. Flock rayon marquisette in pastel color. Floral design. Yard \$1
BAY Draperies, Fourth Floor

Stripe Homespun
Reg. 1.79 yard. 48-inch homespun for draperies or slipcovers. Yard \$1
BAY Draperies, Fourth Floor

Drapery Lining
Regular 1.29 yard. 50-inch lining for drapes. Tan sateen. Yard \$1
BAY Draperies, Fourth Floor

Trillite Deflector
Reg. 1.25. Glass deflectors that turn light to the floor. Each \$1
BAY Lamps, Fourth Floor



A much loved and respected old gentleman, Lowe Sing, was 91 on Sunday. Hundreds of friends and relatives, including the Hon. W. T. Straith, representing the government, brought him gifts and felicitations. In the first photograph, grandchildren Warren, Alwin and Lorraine Lowe pay their respects. In the second, a group of guests taste Chinese delicacies in the patriarch's home. In the third, little Brenda Mar gets set with her chopsticks for the banquet which hundreds attended. And in the fourth, Mr. Straith receives his lucky coin from the venerable citizen in return for a birthday gift. (Times photos.)

TOPICS OF THE TIMES

Crime didn't pay again.
A thief smashed a window in the apartment of Mrs. A. Wellan, 1114 Rockland, on Sunday night and stole a purse.

The contents:
Some hair curling pins, a few cosmetics.

Local 2527 of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America (T.L.C. A.F.L.) have been certified by the B.C. labor relations board to bargain for employees of two more Victoria firms.

Bargaining rights have been won for employees of Reliable Floor Co. and Bayview Woodworkers.

Local 1163 of the Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paperhangers of America (T.L.C. A.F.L.) has been certified for employees of Canada Paint & Contracting Company, Victoria.

A driver who said he "took a corner too fast" was fined \$40 for careless driving when he appeared in city police court today.

Fined John A. Paxton, 1166 Pandora, Magistrate H. C. Hall recommended that his license be suspended. Court was told Paxton's car struck the corner of a house, with damage to car and house totalling \$400.

Fined \$35 on a similar charge was Peter F. Copeland, 1925 Ash.

James Bay Credit Union has increased its assets from \$150 in 1949 to \$17,038 in December, 1951. It was reported at the annual meeting in James Bay Community Hall.

Officers elected for the year were J. A. Bayliss, president; Mrs. M. Caird, vice-president, and T. Affleck, Jr., secretary.

Twenty-four military attaches from the Ottawa embassies of foreign powers in United Nations are today touring Victoria.

This morning they covered H.M.C. Dockyard and H.M.C.S. Naden, lunched at Royal Roads, and this afternoon were on a sightseeing tour of Victoria and District.

The party is on a transcontinental tour of defense installations.

All citizens in Victoria may attend a general meeting of the Canadian Citizens' League to be held Wednesday night at 8 in the Hard-of-Hearing Hall, 1416 Douglas Street.

Aims of the organization will be outlined, and officers for 1952 will be elected.

Special U.B.C.M. meeting on education costs, originally slated for Feb. 12 has been postponed until Feb. 21, at 10 in the morning in Vancouver City Hall. An executive meeting will be held the day before at 1.

300 ON LIST

Invitations For Session Opening Out

Upwards of 300 invitations have been issued for the opening session of the B.C. Legislature, Feb. 19, the office of the Speaker announced today.

Occupying seats on the floor of the House will be judges, the clergy, government leaders, consulate members, business representatives, and the invited guests of ministers and private members of the Legislature.

Bulk of the guests invited to the colorful affair will come from Victoria and the lower mainland. In addition to various officials on the invitation list, however, will be the names of 60 persons who merely wrote in and asked for tickets.

A portion of the gallery is set aside for the public. Invitations are applied for by mail, and are issued on a "first come, first served" basis.

HUNDREDS PAY TRIBUTE TO PATRIARCH

Young And Old Join Chinese Feast On Traditional Long Life Birthday

By HUMPHRY DAVY

A grand old man is resting today following a birthday party celebrated here by hundreds of Chinese citizens.

Kindly, humble Lowe Sing, proud father of a family of seven, was 91 years old Sunday, and in accordance with Chinese tradition was honored by both rich and poor, young and old, throughout the day.

The event, known by Chinese as the "Long Life Birthday," can only be observed by a man who is 91, and who is the head of three living generations. The honor does not fall on one who has no children and grandchildren, and for this reason is rarely celebrated.

It was quite an event for both Times' photographer Irving Strickland and myself, for we are probably the only Canadians of European extraction ever to attend a celebration of this kind.

We shall never forget the warmth and hospitality of the family who made us feel we were one of them.

The celebrations began in the morning when hundreds of Chinese people began arriving at Lowe Sing's home, 724 Caledonia, to pay their respects and to present him with gifts.

POISE OF PRINCE
Lowe Sing sat on a beautifully carved chair against a background of rich tapestries. He carried himself with the poise of a prince. His eyes were bright with friendliness and interest.

To hundreds of well-wishers he presented a 25-cent piece wrapped in red paper, a token of good luck.

Among those who called was education minister W. T. Straith, representing the premier and the B.C. government. The minister and the sage chatted for some time.

Even the good-natured Chinese dragon turned up in front of the patriarch's home to stage the dance, which, according to legend, brings good luck.

VARIETY ENTERTAINMENT
It was a colorful scene... the dragon dancing, fire crackers going off, an acrobatic display taking place at the same time in front of the house, and a band playing Chinese music.

Few people get birthday parties like that.

Throughout the day visitors were served with food and drink. A whole pig was roasted and cut up for the occasion. There was a birthday cake and special "long life noodle cakes," as well as tea.

It was quite evident from what we saw that the Chinese respect and honor their parents—probably more so than Westerners.

BANQUETS CLIMAX
The celebrations were climaxed with two banquets at Don Mee's.

Tenpin Title To Dickson's

Dickson's captured the city tenpin team bowling championship at Gibson's Bowladrome Sunday with a three-game total of 2,811 pins.

Watson's Men's Wear took second place with 2,731 and Tillman's with Fletcher's Men's Wear for third money with 2,730.

Other scores follow:
Les Palmer's 2,699, Gorge Hotel 2,690, Orange Crush 2,673, Dennis Fish 2,667, Dominion Meat 2,663, Golden Lane 2,658, Island Decorators 2,627, Monarch Plumbing 2,622, Walt's Woodworkers 2,611, Toggery Shop 2,591, Pro Pats 2,578, Victoria Press 2,554, Hoyle Brown 2,552, British Public Schools 2,528, Murdoch-Girard 2,514, Chevrons 2,418.

Vandals Continue

Vandals who have twice cut the Beacon Hill Park flagstaff halyard enjoy this little game.

On their third try they succeeded not only in cutting the copper-colored cable, but jamming the pulley to necessitate a \$50 to \$75 repair job. Parks Administrator W. H. Warren said today.

"It's a steady campaign of vandalism," Warren declared, adding that the police would welcome any information leading to apprehension of the culprits.

and the Mandarin restaurants, which were attended by hundreds of people.

I shall never forget the scene at Don Mee's... the proud old man with his sons, the women and pretty Chinese children, and the attractive Chinese girls. Everyone was happy and perfectly at home.

The Chinese have it all over the Westerner for making you feel at home. For instance, the host thanked each person individually for coming to his birthday party. Everyone, no matter what his rank or position might be, is made to feel equally important.

The meal was out of this world. There were scores of dishes served. Some of the dishes took hours to prepare. I have never

tasted duck so tender. It melted in your mouth.

Another dish was a boneless chicken stuffed with sweet rice. I never tasted that before; and I must say it is hard to beat.

Then there were sharks' fin soup, Chinese mushroom, abalone, chicken boiled in soybean sauce, shrimp-chicken, sea foods and other delicacies.

Then the time came to go. We all lined up and each in turn shook hands with our host.

My turn came. I looked into the face of the kindly old man.

For the first time he showed signs of strain, from an ordeal which would have taxed a younger man. His eyes were moist with tears.

I felt a bit the same way for just a moment.



Car twice involved in week-end collisions.

Seattle Race Driver, Failed To Stop, Fined \$300 In Colwood Corner Crash

A driver who failed to remain at the scene of an accident at Colwood Corners early Sunday morning was fined \$300, with an option of three months, in R.C.M.P. traffic court today.

He is Gene T. Fanning, of Seattle, Wash., a racing car driver.

Fanning pleaded guilty. Police will recommend suspension of his license to the Washington police.

At 3:30 Sunday morning a coupe, driven by Peter S. Meek, Belmont housing area, collided with the Fanning car. Meek's car was rolled over on its side.

Meek was not seriously hurt and his passenger, R. Penston, a neighbor, escaped injury.

While police were making their routine examinations at the accident scene, a car driven by William Wolosuk, Victoria, with a passenger, Winston Ruler, also of this city, struck the Meek machine.

No charge resulted. Fanning's car was subsequently traced by R.C.M.P.

BLIND PEDESTRIAN HIT
Week-end accident toll included a blind pedestrian, Arch-

bald Monteith, 501 Cormorant, who suffered a broken leg and shock. His condition is reported as "fair."

Police say a car driven by Jack Moir, 526 Admirals, struck Monteith as he was crossing Johnson at 6:15 Saturday evening.

A second pedestrian hurt was Mrs. R. Holme, 1229 Oscar. A car driven by D'Arcy E. Delart, 1675 Freeman, collided with her while she crossed Douglas Sunday night. Mrs. Holme did not require hospital attention.

Lorne Huddleston, 870 Esquimalt, received head injuries and is in hospital following a collision with a car driven by Richard M. Williams, 463 Chester, Sunday evening, at Bay and Blanshard.

Edward Floyer told police that his wife was knocked unconscious Sunday afternoon when a car crashed into the rear of a Quarter Cab driven by John Rawlings, 1327 Bay on Beach Drive. Police identified owner as J. W. Parker, 1919 1/2 Belmont.

No Smuggler, He; Just A Visitor Enchanted By Sea

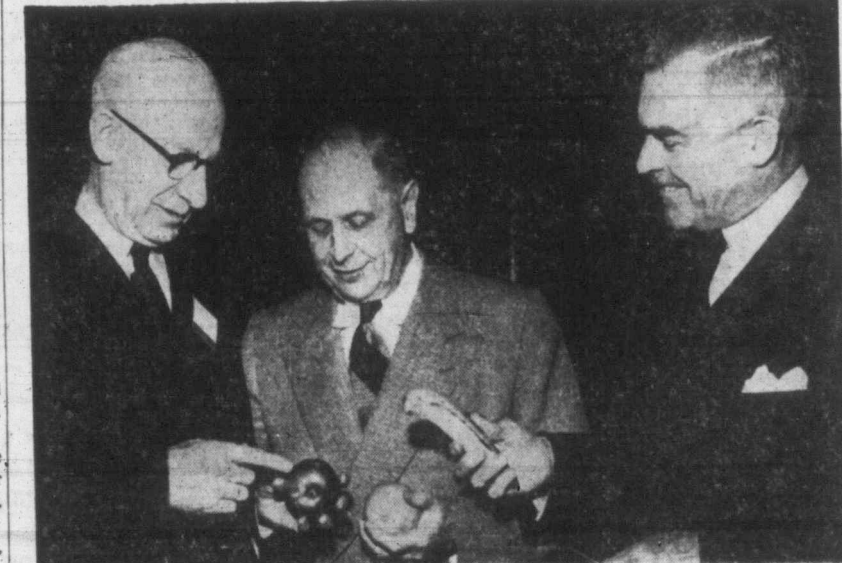
A mysterious figure crouched behind a stone pillar on the Esplanade at Ross Bay this morning.

Two citizens, approaching by car, slowed to investigate. They watched the figure for five minutes; noted that he was peering furtively out to sea; wondered if he were the shore agent for a band of smugglers.

Then the figure turned, and the man's face broke into a broad grin.

Hurrying over to the car, he said: "Isn't it wonderful? Never saw anything like it in my life. Look at those lovely waves."

Turns out he's from Rivers, Manitoba, and can hardly wait to get home and tell the folks about the monstrous seas on B.C.'s coast.



Delegate J. B. Dickey, Vancouver, (left) discusses fruit distribution problems with J. Gordon Bowers, president of Canadian

Fruit Wholesalers' Association, and L. F. Burrows, secretary, Ottawa.

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ONLY RACE TRACK'S LACK PREVENTS MEET FOR CITY

There is nothing to prevent Victoria from having an annual horse racing meet, Attorney-General Gordon S. Wismer made clear today.

"All you need is a track where you can run them," he declared.

He made it plain that Victoria's 14 days of racing, which, for the past four years have been transferred to Vancouver, were still the city's rightful property, given to the mainland only "on loan." He said this always had been made clear to Vancouver track operators and that they would never be able to argue that possession was nine points of the law.

"If Vancouver wants more racing," Wismer said, "then legislation can always be introduced to give them more racing. But Victoria will not lose its share."

"Personally," Wismer said, "I would like to see Victoria get racing back. I was sorry to see it go."

Harrison Raps City's Policy On Assessing

'People On Tenterhooks,' Mayor Declares As Property Evaluation Boosted Annually

Policy of spreading assessment increases over two years instead of one, in the city's current equalization program, will be changed for the 1953 assessment role.

Mayor Claude Harrison and the court of revision, sitting to hear appeals from assessment on 49 properties today, agreed to leave the policy unchanged for this year's assessment roll.

"I don't want these people on tenterhooks," said the mayor. "Either the property is worth \$1,920 or it's not. It's a pretty poor outlook to know that every year he's going to be hit hard."

The mayor was referring to the case of George Read, 444 Kipling. The latter told the court his assessment was increased from \$1,540 last year to \$1,700 this year and that the assessor told him it would go up another \$200 in 1953 to bring it to the assessor's valuation. The assessor

said he valued the property at \$1,920.

A. G. Joyce, city assessor, explained that two years ago, when carrying out City Council's instruction to equalize assessment throughout the city, he asked finance committee if he should make the jump in one year, or in two or three to ease the burden, particularly for those on fixed incomes.

Finance committee approved the two-year policy, he said.

Ald. William Pinfold, chairman, said that "in order to iron out inequalities the assessor was instructed to reassess every house and building in Victoria."

Whole City Re-Assessed

"It's not a re-assessment," Joyce stated. "It is equalization, and we have not changed our basis of assessment one iota. We are well over half through."

After he had explained the equalization policy the mayor said:

"The trouble is the people don't know. What's the good of such a policy when no one knows?"

The mayor advocated putting the properties at the assessor's valuation at once rather than leaving the people to fear another increase. Alderman Waldo Skillings disagreed. He said he stood behind the principle the assessor was working on.

"It's fair to the people to let them know they'll come to their maximum the next year," he said.

A change in policy now, would delay the assessment role and require a much increased staff to handle the sending out of thousands of new cards. Skillings argued. Joyce said in the equalization, assessment on thousands

of properties had been dropped. "We are here to get the correct assessment value, even if in some cases it hurts," said the mayor.

Read contended that advising him of a still further increase next year "destroys tranquility. It's like a sword hanging over our house."

BEGGARS BEST BE CHOOSERS

A war pensioner who made the mistake of approaching a policeman was sentenced to five days in jail today for begging.

Constable Keith Hollett said in city court he noticed the man stop a couple on the street and ask them for assistance. Hollett said the man then approached him, started to say "Can you—" paused and added: "Oh, you're a cop, aren't you?"

Delegates Here From Japan, Florida For Fruit Wholesalers' Convention

The distribution and marketing of fruits and vegetables were discussed by over 300 delegates attending the three-day convention of the Canadian Fruit Wholesalers which opened at the Empress Hotel today.

Among the members were representatives from Japan, Bermuda, Florida and the Maritimes. The two Japanese delegates, Shoyo Saito and K. Mochitsuki, flew from Tokyo to Victoria to

discuss the export of Japanese oranges.

Federal government representatives included Karl B. Conger, chief of the marketing and merchandising service of the agriculture department; George R. Paterson, director of agricultural commodities, department of trade and commerce; R. L. Wheeler, associate director of marketing service, agriculture department, and Gordon Urquhart, department of national revenue.

The delegates were welcomed to British Columbia by Agricultural Minister Harry Bowman, representing Premier. Byron Johnson, who is at present in Ottawa. Mayor C. L. Harrison welcomed the members to the city.

The convention got under way with a discussion on the transportation of fruits and vegetables. J. Gordon Bowers, president, Vancouver, was in the chair.

Rev. William Hills, rector of St. George the Martyr's Anglican Church, Cadboro Bay, was guest speaker at a luncheon.

The afternoon session featured an address by Paul S. Armstrong, general manager of the California Fruit Growers' Exchange, Los Angeles. He spoke on problems connected with the production and distribution of oranges.

L. E. Brault, president of the food section, Retail Merchants' Association of Canada, Cowansville, Que., also addressed the meeting.

SHOPPING GUIDE

Timber! Those Slippery Floors Are Treacherous!

By PENNY SAVER

Whoops! That she goes! Bango! "Dern" those slippery floors, they're worse than trying to walk on ice.

Mind you, you can get a wonderful sense of balance trying to skitter around on slippery floors, but it isn't "training" when you crash to the floor in a shattered heap.

Not! Indeed it isn't. Now, here is the greatest little safety polish they ever put in a tin.

Would you believe it? For 59 pennies you can buy a tin of self-polishing wax that is anti-slip. You put it on and it shines without polishing and is not slippery. Quite something!

When you first start to use this new wax you wash your floor thoroughly with warm water, let it dry, then saturate a pad with water, wring it out, shake the tin of polish well and apply it to the pad.

Now bend those knees. Oooh! It isn't as easy as it used to be, but remember you only have to get down once. None of this having to go back and polish it.

When you have your nose down level with your pet hound's you start your arms waving (on the floor, of course) and apply the wax.

If you want to be really energetic, you can get a higher lustre by quickly going over the surface when the polish has dried. The polish will dry hard in 20 minutes and be waterproof in five hours.

I'm sure you'll like this anti-slip, self-polishing wax.

Saw an all-purpose fork today that I thought you might like to know about. It's only 39 cents and would do many little jobs around the kitchen. You can use it for scooping out the vegetables or you can stab them with the tines to see if they are cooked.

I don't need to tell you how to use a fork. You can imagine the many uses you would find for it.

Woman Smart Boss Of Plumbing Firm

HAMILTON, Ont. (CP)—Mary Goodram, brown-eyed and 36, is boss of a million-dollar plumbing business — but not particularly because she knows about plumbing.

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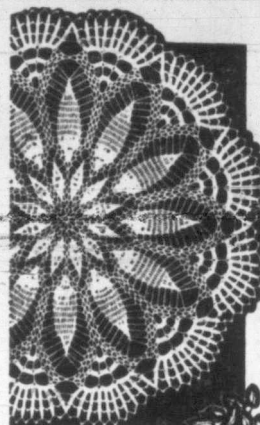
CLUB CALENDAR

Monthly meeting, Women's Auxiliary, Canadian Scottish Regiment (Princess Mary's), Wednesday at 8, spare mess, Bay Street Armories. Members reminded to bring used Christmas cards. . . . Capitol City, No. 35, Pythian Sisters, Tuesday at 8, K. of P. Hall, Cormorant Street. Refreshments. Visiting sisters may attend.

Alliance Francaise, fortnightly meeting at home of Madame E. Sonet, 1064 Southgate Street, Wednesday at 3. Guest speaker, M. Maurice Borelli; subject, "Four Years in Scandinavia and Lapland." Those interested in joining, telephone G 3162.

Catholic Women's League, Victoria sub-division, Tuesday at 8, parish hall, View Street. Mrs. Afandi to speak on civil defense.

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This pretty salad will add sparkle to a winter menu. Fill a salad bowl with crisp curly endive, orange sections, onion rings and bits of diced buttery-rich winter avocado. Toss lightly with tarragon vinegar, French dressing and serve immediately.

The flavor of a winter avocado is best when the fruit is soft. To test it, refrain from pinching the fruit. Instead, cup it between the palms of your hands and press gently. If it gives to gentle pressure it's ready to use immediately. If not, keep at room temperature a day or two until it softens a bit.

Take red cabbage and shred as finely as possible. Combine with mayonnaise and sour cream mixed half and half with a little mustard to point up the flavor. Add a few cubes of diced winter Calavo avocado and give the whole thing a couple of quick tosses. Sprinkle with celery seed and serve.

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By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

Bed Still Is The Best Cure For The Common Cold



Don't stay at the office fighting about the windows when you've caught cold. Home in bed is a better place.

Right ahead of us loom the greatest cold-producing months. I am not speaking of the weather, but of those sneezes and fevers and wheezes which make most of us miserable at least once or twice a year—the common cold.

Have you ever thought how wonderful it would be to live through one 12-month period without a cold? If you accomplish this you will belong to the select 6 per cent of the population which is cold-free. It's worth shooting at!

You will not believe this unless you try it, but if you would go to bed for a day at the very first sign of a sniffle or a rough throat, you would have a good chance of nipping it in the bud. This should be done before the cold has a firm grip on you if you hope for success.

Yet most men and women would consider this pampering themselves, and they teach their children to be stoic and not "give in" to the first little discomfort. The medical profession recognizes the value of vitamin A therapy in treating a cold to this extent; that some persons respond wonderfully to large doses of this vitamin if it is taken early in the sniffle. I happen to be one of these strange creatures. Ask your doctor about it.

By going to bed for a day before the bacteria makes you feel badly you often save many days, not only for yourself but for others. The usual pattern of a cold is to start with one member of a family or one member of an office staff and continue until both groups have been knocked down like bowling pins, one at a time, or several at once.

This is distorted nobility, if you ask me. The boss would probably prefer you stayed at home a day rather than give your

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This time of year, the children are having a lot of fun with paste pot and scissors, making their own valentines. The children will send them to their friends, of course, and the chances are they will save one for mother.

Mother should be ready to enter into the spirit of St. Valentine's Day, too. Not with paste pot and scissors, but her old friends the mixing bowl and cake tin. With these, she can make a valentine the whole family can enjoy—a delicious heart cake.

A heart-shaped cake tin is fine if you have one. If you don't, cut out a heart-shaped pattern on cardboard. Then lay it over the cake and cut the cake to fit, before icing. The bits left over can be used to make special cakes for the children.

An outline of tiny red candy hearts on pink or white frosting adds just the right party-time touch. This will be one time when love won't be associated with loss of appetite!

A recipe for heart cake to win the heart of your family is offered here:

Measure into mixing bowl: 2½

cups sifted cake flour, 1 2-3 cups sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, 2-3 cup Crisco, ¼ cup milk. Stir in: 3½ teaspoons double-acting baking powder. Add: Three whole eggs, ½ cup milk, 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Beat vigorously by hand or mixer (medium speed) for 2 minutes.

Blend by hand or mixer (medium speed) for two minutes. Pour into two deep 9-inch layer pans (1½ inches deep) which have been rubbed with Crisco and lined with heavy waxed paper. (If smaller pans are used, fill half full and make remaining batter in cup cake pans.) Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for 35-40 minutes.

When layers are cool, ice. Makes two 9-inch layers. Frost with your favorite white icing or add a little red vegetable coloring to make a pretty valentine pink.

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Miss Louise Miles Engaged

Of interest to friends in Victoria is the announcement made in Montreal of the engagement of Helen Alice Louise, elder daughter of the late Commodore G. R. Miles, O.B.E., C.D., R.C.N., and Mrs. Miles of Montreal, to Lieut. William George Hunt, Royal Canadian Navy, eldest son of the late Mr. John Clarke Lowson Hunt and Mrs. Hunt of Vancouver.

Sunday's Membership Tea

Snowdrops, pussy willows and other early spring flowers were used to decorate the attractive lounge at Oak Bay Beach Hotel Sunday afternoon when members of the Junior Auxiliary to B.C. Protestant Orphanage entertained at a membership tea.

Hon. Nancy Hodges and Mrs. J. D. Hunter presided at the tea table which also carried out the decorative motif with snowdrops and lighted white candles. Assisting as serviteurs were Miss Anne Adamson, Miss Amy Harness and Mrs. Chris Sherwood. Miss Marjorie Coates, auxiliary president, and Miss Harness who convened arrangements for the tea, received the more than 40 members and guests.

Honor guests included Mrs. J. M. Woods, Mme. Lugin-Fahey and Miss Kathleen Agnew.

Victorians Follow Careers

Mr. Richard Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carew Martin, Regents Place, left Victoria last week for Calgary where he has accepted a position with an oil company.

Mr. James Harvey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Harvey, Sylvan Lane, has also left the city. He is motoring through the southern states on his way to New York where he will sail for Europe aboard the Franconia, Feb. 15. He will do an extended hotel administration working tour of Great Britain and the continent.

To Attend Presbyterian

Among delegates representing other island points who will attend the annual meeting of the Victoria Presbyterian in First United Church on Wednesday and Thursday are Mrs. G. L. Vivian, Port Alberni; Mrs. J. A. Bock, Courtenay; Mrs. J. A. Donnell, Chemainus; Mrs. Frank Burchell, Nanaimo; Mrs. A. Bratford and Miss J. Olson, Duncan; Mrs. J. G. Bompas and Mrs. Harry Ashley, Ganges, and Mrs. Wood, Union Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. D. has returned from a four-month trip to Australia. He arrived aboard the Aorangi Friday evening. St. Andrew's Cathedral Jan. 26, returned to the city yesterday following a honeymoon on the mainland.

Mr. Harold Oswald Hincks, who has been visiting his parents at Langford, has returned to Vancouver en route to Sechart.



Leads Group Of Delegates' Wives

Mrs. Gordon Bowers, Vancouver, wife of the president of the Canadian Fruit Wholesalers' Association, leads the group of women who accompanied their husbands to the 27th annual three-day convention of the association, being held in Victoria for the first time this week. As chairman of the women's committee, Mrs. Bowers has also assisted in arranging a program of entertainment for the feminine coterie. A tea at Government House on Tuesday will highlight the program. Today, a luncheon has been arranged for delegates' wives at Oak Bay Beach Hotel and late this afternoon they will attend the president's reception at the Empress Hotel. Tuesday evening they will join their husbands again for the annual banquet and dance at the Empress Hotel. Wednesday's activities include a reception and showing of movies by B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd., and a luncheon at the Empress Hotel.

CLUB CALENDAR

Britannia Lodge, No. 216, L.O.B.A., Tuesday at 8. Drill practice at 7.30 sharp. Orange Hall.

Annual meeting, Victoria Presbyterian (Vancouver Island) United Church Women's Missionary Society, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, First United Church. Dr. Gladys Story Cunningham, recently from China, guest speaker, Wednesday at 8.8, at the Bullen home.

Women's Auxiliary to Royal Canadian Navy, house-warming tea, Tuesday, at new clubroom, H.M.C.S. Malahat. Members, former members and prospective members may attend.

St. Matthew's Guild, Wednesday at 2.30, home of Mrs. D. B. F. Bullen, Station Road, Langford. Church committee, Wednesday at 8.8, at the Bullen home.

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Preparing For Reception At Art Centre

Mrs. Esme Davis, Mrs. John de Castri and Mrs. W. G. Humphries, are assisting with arrangements for a reception to be held at Victoria Art Centre, Tuesday evening from 7.30 to 9.30, to mark opening of the Jan Zach two-week exhibition. The reception is planned as a welcome to all artists. Mrs. A. S. Wylie and Mr. Colin Graham will receive guests. Others assisting on the committee are Mrs. Colin Graham and Miss Patricia Wright.

Ceremony At St. John's, Colwood

Rev. H. J. Jones heard the nuptial vows of Joyce Lottie Hobbs and Alexander James Gordon at a double ring ceremony in St. John's Church, Colwood, recently.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hobbs, Victoria, and the groom is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Gordon, Toronto.

Mr. Hobbs gave his daughter in marriage.

She wore a gown of traditional white fashioned of brocade satin in bouffant style with long pointed sleeves and a net yoke. Wide tucks formed a pleated skirt at the hipline and her full-length embroidered veil was caught in a white and silver coronet. The bride carried a white Bible showered with pink rosebuds and white ribbon. A silver locket, gift of her mother, was the bride's only jewelry.

Preceding the bride down the aisle were two flower girls, nieces of the bride, Sharon Hobbs wore blue taffeta and Grace Low, pink taffeta. Both wore velvet flowers in their hair and carried colonial bouquets.

Sister of the bride, Mrs. A. Low, was matron of honor. She wore a gown of pale green taffeta with matching veil held with a wreath of primroses. She carried a bouquet of pink carnations. Bridesmaids were Mrs. H. Hobbs in yellow taffeta and Miss Lois Wilkinson in mauve. Both attendants wore pleated head-dresses and carried bouquets of yellow chrysanthemums.

A reception was held at the home of Mrs. A. Low, sister of the bride, Sooke Road, Glen Lake, where Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hobbs assisted in receiving the guests.

A Recent Wedding



Dean G. R. Calvert officiated at the recent double-ring ceremony in Christ Church Cathedral which united in marriage Jean Anne Louise Price, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Price, Helmcken Road, and Robert William Carr, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Carr, Pine Street. (Photo by Campbell Studio.)

Marriage Bureau Booming Business In North London

LONDON, Feb. 4 (CP) — A marriage society in North London that charges a yearly fee of 10 guineas for introducing would-be suitors is doing so well it has started a news sheet on marriage problems.

Founded in 1946, the society has had more than 7,000 inquiries resulting in almost 200 marriages and several engagements.

During this time it has gained comprehensive knowledge of the problems uppermost in the minds of most would-be husbands and wives.

To help those too shy—or too busy—to discuss all the aspects of marriage in which they are interested, Rev. R. W. Griffiths, a member of the management committee, has written two issues of a news bulletin on fore-most marriage problems.

The paper, given free to members, has listed the strict rules on mixed marriages laid down by the Roman Catholic Church. It also gives advice on reading matter about marital problems.

Griffiths advises that wives should know their husbands' incomes and be informed of all expenses. "Then she will realize that it is impossible to get more than a pint out of a pint pot." After earning a salary, many women today find it hard to adjust their outlook to financial dependence.

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In general, the society finds that men are more capricious than women in their choice of a marriage partner. "Many men want film-star types and will not want anything else," said Mayo Wynne, psychologist and co-founder of the society.

"Men don't seem to realize that film-star types don't come to marriage societies—they get too many chances without that." About one in five applications

P.T.A. Notes

Mount View—At the meeting of Mount View P.T.A., to be held Tuesday at 8 in the school library, all major courses offered will be dealt with in turn the first of a series on "The High School Curriculum and Its Objectives." K. R. Brown will speak on "The Mathematics Course, Content and Objectives," and F. S. Snowsall has chosen as his topic, "The Social Studies Course, Scope and Purpose."

Victoria Purple Star Lodge, No. 104, Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association, Wednesday at 8, Orange Hall, Courtney Street. Officers' drill practice at 7.

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Blacky the Crow had seen a dreadful thing happen. He had seen a handsome young Mink, son of his old-time acquaintance, Billy Mink, caught in a cruel steel trap. He had seen the terror and pain and helplessness of that young Mink, and the helplessness of Billy Mink to get the young Mink free.

The young Mink was free now, and he and his father had disappeared. On the snow behind them lay that wicked steel trap, its cruel jaws closed tightly on the foot and part of one of the Mink's legs. It had been pulled and twisted and torn and bitten off. That was the dreadful thing

by Thornton W. Burgess

that Blacky had watched. All the rest of his life that Mink would have but three legs. "A hateful thing!" said he.

"What is a hateful thing?" asked someone.

It was Reddy Fox. Blacky had forgotten all about Reddy. From the top of a tall tree, a little while before, he had seen Reddy in the distance and had warned the two Mink that Reddy was headed that way. Then as he watched that dreadful struggle to get free, he had forgotten all about Reddy.

"You're just too late," said Blacky, and nodded toward the trap.

"Oh," said Reddy. He walked over to the trap and stood look-

Britain Names Newcomer To Malayan Post

SINGAPORE, Feb. 4 (AP) — Britain took a bold gamble Sunday in a "new broom" policy for beating Red terrorism in Malaya. She appointed a new British administrator with no previous Malayan experience in hopes he will "bring a fresh line to bear on the many complexities of the tin and rubber producing country."

Donald Charles MacGillivray, Colonial Secretary to Jamaica, is the new deputy high commissioner for the Malayan Federation. His job will be to direct civil affairs under the newly-appointed high commissioner, Gen. Sir Gerald Templer, strong arm former man who was named last month to lead the war against the Red guerrillas.

Malay and Chinese political leaders, who are seeking eventual independence for the British-controlled federation, doubtless will view the appointment of MacGillivray with suspicion and disapproval. They had been expecting someone familiar with Malaya's complex political problems as deputy high commissioner.

"Yes," said Blacky nodding his black head. "Yes, I saw it. It wasn't a nice thing to see."

Reddy looked back at the trap and the foot it held. "It wasn't Billy Mink," said Reddy. "Someone else."

"How do you know it wasn't Billy Mink?" demanded Blacky.

"That's the foot of a young Mink. It must have belonged to one of Billy's children," said Reddy. Then he began looking about.

"If you are looking for the owner of that leg, you won't find him around here," said Blacky.

"I'm not looking for him," retorted Reddy.

"Then what are you looking for?" asked Blacky.

"The meat, or whatever it was that Mink was reaching for when he stepped into the trap," replied Reddy. He meant the bait.

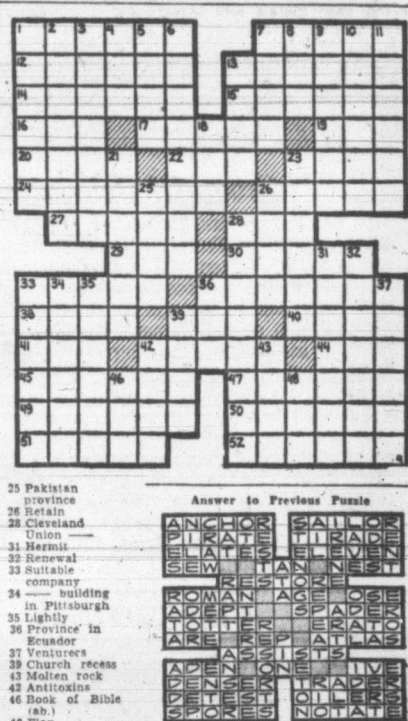
But it wasn't around there. Anyway, Blacky's sharp eyes couldn't see any Reddy. Fox the keen nose of Reddy. Fox couldn't smell it anywhere. Someone must have taken that little piece of meat, but who?

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Folk Dance Festival Attracts Nearly 2,000 In South Alberta

LETHBRIDGE, Alta., Feb. 4 (CP)—Nearly 2,000 dancers, some from as far away as Billings, Mont., took part Saturday night in Lethbridge's second annual international square and folk dancing festival.

Mayor Don Mackay, wearing the cowboy outfit he wore to welcome Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh during the Royal tour, headed a group of nearly 500 brightly-garbed dancers from Calgary.

A party of 180 came from Great Falls, Mont. Nearly every Southern Alberta community was represented—but some 1,500 applications for tickets had to be turned down.

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Just three years old, this charming bungalow consists of an entrance and through hall, nice living room with open fireplace, dining room with built-in dining space, four-piece Pembroke bath, two bedrooms, and a full basement. All modern, well finished, and in excellent condition. A good buy at \$9450.

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RUMPUS ROOM AND DEN

Yes, a seven-roomed bungalow in Oak Bay, south of the Avenue, just waiting for you to move in. Designed for your comfort and convenience, it has a large living room with fireplace, dining room, kitchen, and a full basement. A good buy at \$11,000.

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Everything that a heart desires has been thought of in the design of this five-room bungalow. Through hall plan and most attractive living room with fireplace, dining room, kitchen, and a full basement. A good buy at \$11,700.

OAK BAY

UNOBSTRUCTED SEA VIEW

SIX-ROOMS—VACANT

CHARM—CHARACTER

Beautifully situated, secluded, with the finest view of the sea and mountains, excellent construction, unique plan. Consisting of a large living room with fireplace, dining room, kitchen, and a full basement. A good buy at \$14,700.

UPLANDS

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Distinctive design, ideal location. A beautiful home, complete in every detail. Excellent construction, unique plan. Consisting of a large living room with fireplace, dining room, kitchen, and a full basement. A good buy at \$27,800.

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\$1500 DOWN

One of these fine side-by-side family homes with seven rooms plus small den, full high dry basement with two extra rooms. Price, clear title. \$6850.

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Five-room stucco bungalow built in 1919

When good lumber was available. This comfortable home fully modernized with hardwood floors, cabinet kitchen and bathroom, full basement. A good buy at \$7000.

A NEW HOME AT

1948 BUILDING COSTS!

Sickness prevented the final completion of this home until recently. The owner for health reasons has moved to a new home. This five-room bungalow with hardwood floors, cabinet kitchen and bathroom, full basement. A good buy at \$7500.

FAIRFIELD SOUTH

BOULEVARD STREET

HARDWOOD FLOORS

THROUGHOUT

Exceptionally well constructed 4 1/2-room stucco bungalow on the through hall plan. Built six months ago. Has many extra features including sliding closet doors in living room, dining room, kitchen, and a full basement. A good buy at \$9450.

OAK BAY SOUTH

OVERLOOKING WINDSOR

PARK

Exceptionally well-built five-room bungalow (insulated), large living room, dining room, kitchen, hardwood flooring in main rooms. Full basement. Price, \$11,500.

OAK BAY

FOUR-BEDROOM

BUNGALOW

N.H.A.—BUILT

We take pleasure in offering another newly listed home close to school and transportation. This four-bedroom bungalow has a large living room, dining room, kitchen, and a full basement. A good buy at \$13,650.

THREE IN OAK BAY

TWO NORTH, ONE SOUTH

1. EXCLUSIVE LISTING. Oil-O-Matic heated bungalow. Two bedrooms up, one in basement. Spacious living room with fireplace. Price, \$13,200.

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Three bedrooms on main floor, spacious living room with fireplace.

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3. Immaculate single or two-family

11-room home. Oil-O-Matic hot-water heated, open fireplace, full basement.

Price, \$21,000.

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RANDALLS

FAIRFIELD

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Close to sea and park on fine residential street. Unit includes living room, dining room, modern kitchen, full bathroom, and a full basement. Price, \$10,500.

QUADRA WAY

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Immediate possession. Four-room stucco bungalow, large living room, dining room, kitchen, and a full basement. Price, \$8400.

TODAY'S SPECIALS

\$1,000 down buys five-room bungalow

close in. Walk to work. Good buy at \$9350.

\$1,250 for four-room sliding bungalow

garage, large garden. Equipped with tub. Clear title. Balance \$400 per month. Price, \$3950.

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Hot-water heat, lower suite available. New. Upper suite, renter's garage. Nice lot, fair terms. Price, \$5250.

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NEW STUCCO

This three-room gleaming white stucco bungalow in the best part of Fairfield is undoubtedly the best of the year. Beautiful living room with fireplace and a view of the Olympics and water from the picture window. Nice dining room, full cabinet kitchen which is a housewife's dream. Utility room with tub, off the kitchen. Full basement. Price, \$10,500.

"HIGH QUADRA"

GITY—FIVE ROOMS

Very attractive three-year-old cedar stucco bungalow. Description as follows: Entrance hall, large living room, 16x18, central hallway, two good-sized bedrooms with closets, wired for range, refrigerator, and a full basement. Price, \$7950.

FIVE ROOMS—MODERN!

PLUS SUITE!

Located on a large corner lot just outside the city limits, this five-room bungalow has a large living room, dining room, kitchen, and a full basement. Price, \$8900.

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"Five Rooms - One Year Old"

"N.H.A. - N.H.A."

This lovely five-room white stucco is just one year old and on the market for the first time as the owner is moving to the U.S.A. Features: Entrance and through hall, living room with open fireplace, archway to dining room, oak floors in hall, living room and dining room, full basement. Price, \$9500.

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BUNGALOW

Words cannot describe this five-room bungalow with living room, dining room, kitchen, and a full basement. Price, \$7950.

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Four-room bungalow, walking distance to Hudson's Bay Co. Low taxes. \$4000 buys it. Seven days' possession. Price, \$4000.

FOUR ROOMS

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LIBERAL TERMS

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Situated on two corner lots on high ground, this five-room bungalow has a large living room, dining room, kitchen, and a full basement. Price, \$8500.

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A six-year-old five-room bungalow in Fairfield, close to the waterfront. It has a large living room, dining room, kitchen, and a full basement. Price, \$10,500.

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Lovely Location

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This delightful property is offered for sale with early possession. One acre in all, with a view of the sea and mountains. Full high basement, insulated, wired for range, hot-air heat. Located High Gorge on a nice lot. Low taxes. A really good buy. \$17,000.

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Cost-of-Living Index Strikes New Record High At 191.5



Soft Drinks Higher In Victoria

This soft drink sign, hurled aloft by the morning's gale, came to rest 12 feet up pole on Richmond Ave., just off Fort Street. Sign was snatched from front of near-by store.

Increases In Food, Fuel Offset Other Declines

OTTAWA, Feb. 4 (CP)—The cost-of-living index climbed two-fifths of a point from 191.1 during December to a new high of 191.5 on Jan. 1, the Bureau of Statistics reported today.

The index had declined from its previous peak of 191.2 on Nov. 1 with a one-tenth-of-a-point drop—the first—in 23 months. The index is based on 1935-39 prices equalling 100. Slightly higher prices for meats, vegetables, dairy products, coal, home furnishings and health costs pushed the index up again.

These increases overbalanced slight price declines for eggs, fats and women's wear. The food sub-index—most important segment of the entire index—climbed seven-tenths of a point to 250.0 from 249.3-1.4 points below the peak of 251.4 established last Aug. 1.

With coal prices higher in a number of cities, the fuel and light sub-group increased two-fifths of a point to a record 151.2 from 150.8. Small scattered increases in the home furnishings and services column boosted this group one-half point to a peak 201.1 from 200.6. The miscellaneous column, which includes such things as health and personal care as well as transportation and other items, increased four-fifths of a point to a record 145.7 from 144.9, following higher costs for health care.

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